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HUP!
PHEW ...
I MADE IT.
THIS SCHOOL...
...OUGHTTA KEEP ME SAFE...

DRAGONS RIOTING
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IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME...
...SINCE THEN.
RIN-TARO
AGE SIX
DADDY, LET'S RIDE THAT ONE NEXT!
I'LL BE FINE! JUST FINE!
BE CAREFUL WHEN YOU RUN, RINTARO.
BOIN (BOUNCE)
WAH!
GO GYUUN

UUH... NN...
BECHA (SPLAT)
BRR...!
!!
AAAAW.
TORO (DRIBBLE)
WH... WHOA.
R-RIN-TARO!
Y- YOUR ICE CREAM... I'M SO SORRY.
OH, IT'S NOTHING. I'M ALL RIGHT.
COME ON.
RINTARO, APOLOGIZE —
SHAKIIN (SPROOOING)

RINTARO!?
GUH...
UH...
DOKUN
DOKUN
DOKUN (THADUMP)
!?
HAH
HAH
MULTIPLE ABNORMALITIES TO THE OPPOSITE SEX SYNDROME!?
YES.
COMMONLY KNOWN AS HENTAI SYNDROME.
RINTARO-KUN APPEARS TO SUFFER FROM A PARTICULARLY SEVERE AND RARE CASE OF IT.

R-REALLY!?
—HOW-EVER!!
HENTAI SYNDROME WILL NOT NECESSARILY GET IN THE WAY...
...OF HIM LEADING A NORMAL LIFE.
I... I DON'T BELIEVE IT...
?
S-SEXUALLY AROUSED!?
...WHEN HE BECOMES SEXUALLY AROUSED.
THE ONLY DANGER TO HIS HEALTH COMES ...
...IT WILL PUT A SUDDEN AND MOMENTOUS STRAIN ON HIS HEART.
YES... WHEN ALL HIS BLOOD RUSHES TO HIS GROIN...
TH-THIS IS CRAZY.
WANA
WANA (TREMBL)
IN OTHER WORDS, RINTARO ...
...IT'S POSSIBLE HE CAN KEEP THE SYMPTOMS FROM MATERIALIZ-ING.
BUT... ...IF HE CAN CONTROL HIS SEXUAL AROUSAL ...
KEEP OUT
KEEP OUT
KEEP OUT

HE'LL BE A GUARANTEED VIRGIN.
UNFORTUNATELY, THAT'S THE ONLY SOLUTION THE MEDICAL FIELD CURRENTLY HAS...
...MUST BE REMOVED FROM WOMEN FOR THE REST OF HIS LIFE.
BIKUN (JOLT)
MUWAH!
MUCHIN (BOUNCE)
HOLD ON A SECOND...
I'LL PULL UP SOME MORE DETAILED MATERIAL ON IT...

UH...
KURA (WOOZY)
!?
TAN (TAP)
HYOI (HEFT)
I'M TERRIBLY SORRY, BUT...
...RINTARO-KUN'S PATH THROUGH LIFE WILL PROBABLY BE RIDDLED WITH THORNS ...
YEAH... BUT—
I APOLOGIZE FOR BEING SO CARELESS!!
PLEASE BE CAREFUL.
THAT WAS CLOSE ...
GASHI (GRAB)
SO I'M GOING TO TEACH HIM...
...HE'LL BE ABLE TO WALK THAT PATH FREELY...
AS LONG AS HE KNOWS WHERE TO PUT HIS FEET...
...THE PROPER WAY TO WALK... YOU SEE.

WHERE AM I...?
!?
WH-WHAT THE ...!?
PWAH!
ZABA (SPLASH)
ZAZAZA (SSSSHHH)

YOU DID!?
YES...
THEY CALL THIS THE "LAKE WHERE YOU CAN ACHIEVE TOTAL SILENCE IN SECRET."
LONG AGO, I ALSO TRAINED HERE.
WITHIN THE DEEPEST WOODS OF MT. FUJI—
DAD-DY!!
ZAAAA
R-RIGHT.
YOU MUST KEEP YOUR HENTAI SYNDROME FROM ACTING UP, NO MATTER THE COST!!
LISTEN WELL, RINTARO.

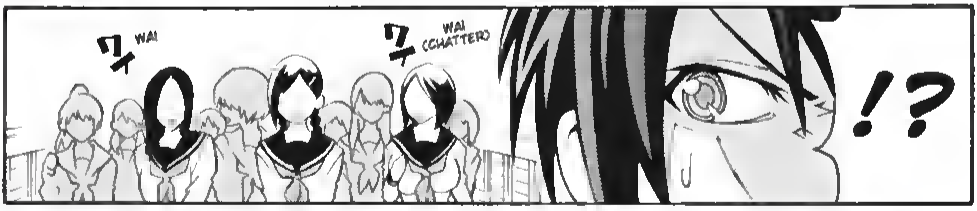
LABELS (RIGHT TO LEFT): SOUL, BODY, SKILL
...AND A BODY CAPABLE OF CARRYING OUT THOSE TWO THINGS...
...THE SKILL TO GET OUT OF ANY SITUATION...
WHAT YOU NEED...
...IS A SOUL THAT WILL NOT WAVER...
LABEL: KEEP IT UNDISTURBED
LABEL: CLEAR YOUR MIND
...CLEAR YOUR MIND OF MUNDANE THOUGHTS...
...AND KEEP IT UNDISTURBED BY EVIL ONES.
IN SHORT...
...YOU MUST MASTER THE ABILITY TO BOTH...
KEEP IT UNDISTURBED...
CLEAR MY MIND...
THAT'S RIGHT!!
I SEE, RINTARO...
DADDY...
A BIG, STRONG MAN.
SOMEDAY, I WANT TO BE LIKE YOU, DADDY.
THAT'S WHAT I WANT!!
I'M READY TO DO WHATEVER IT TAKES.
THE TRAINING WILL BE DIFFICULT, BUT IT'S FOR YOUR OWN GOOD...
WHAT!?

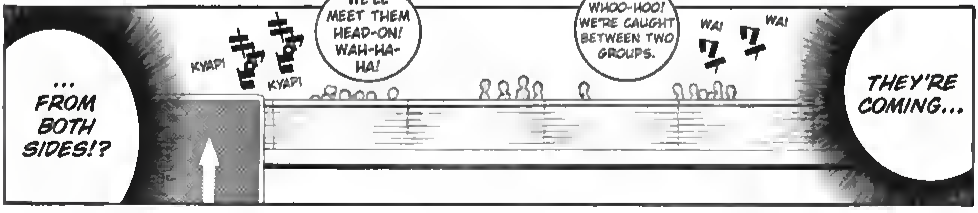
KEEP IT UNDISTURBED!
CLEAR MY MIND!
WAY OF THE WOLF'S FANG!
HNNGH.
CHAPU
WAY OF THE SPARROW'S WING!
CHAPU (FLIP)
HOOH...
CHAPU
YOH...
WAY OF THE TIGER'S JAW.
NNGH...
UUH...
ZAZAAAA (SSSSHHH)
...WILL YOU TRULY BE ABLE TO MASTER IT.
...AT SCHOOL AND IN YOUR EVERYDAY LIFE...
LISTEN, RINTARO. ONLY WHEN YOU EMPLOY YOUR TRAINING...

HEY! THERE THEY ARE!
Y-YEAH, SORTA.
LONG TIME NO SEE, RINTA-RO.
YOU GO CAMPING WITH YOUR DAD AGAIN?
IT'S AN ARMY OF HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS.
KYAPI
KYAPI (CHATTER)
HA-HA... YEAH...
I WONDER IF THEIR BOOBS WILL ACCIDENTALLY BUMP INTO ME.
A BRUSH WITH BREASTS IS...
THEY'RE LOOKING SEXY FIRST THING IN THE MORNING.
MM-HEE!

...OUT OF THE QUES-TION.
KUWA (GRAWR)
...ABSO-LUTELY...

I'LL JUST CALMLY RETREAT FOR NOW...
KYAP! (GASP)
DUDE, THEY'LL TOTALLY BE ONTO YOU
I'M GONNA PURPOSELY FALL INTO THEM, LIKE THIS!
JIIN! (SCUFF)
I CAN FORESEE GREAT DANGER...
...IF OUR BODIES COME INTO CONTACT WHILE THEY PASS.

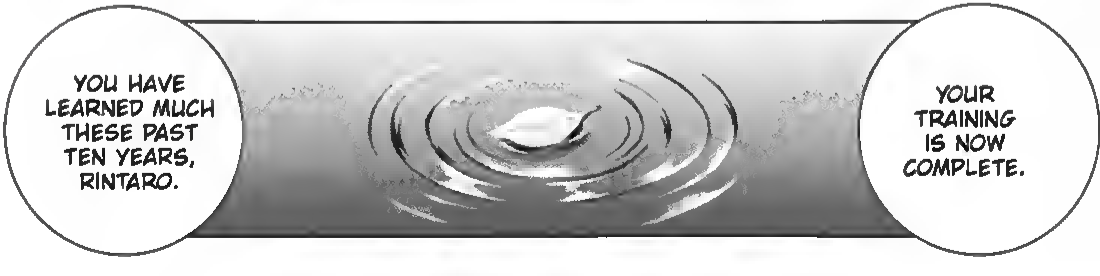

WA!
WA! (CHATTER)
!?


...FROM BOTH SIDES!?
KYAP!
KYAP!
WE'LL MEET THEM HEAD-ON! WAH-HA-HA!
WHOO-HOO! WE'RE CAUGHT BETWEEN TWO GROUPS.
WA!
WA!
THEY'RE COMING...

WAI
WAI
ワイ
ワイ
KUH ...
KYAP!
KYAP!
キャピ
キャピ
UH ...
KEEP IT UNDISTURBED.
OUT OF MY WAY!
YAHOO!
WHEEE!
HEY, WATCH IT!
CLEAR MY MIND.
WHERE'D RINTARO GO?
HUH?
PITA (FWIP)
WAY OF THE SPARROW'S WING BIRD-STYLE BRANCH KEEP
...ANY UNFORESEEN EROTIC RISKS!!
I WILL NIP IN THE BUD ...

THIS IS HOW I'VE SPENT THE PAST TEN YEARS OF MY LIFE...
KEEP IT UNDIS-TURBED.
CLEAR YOUR MIND.
YOU MUST BE...
...LIKE THE BLUE MOON REFLECTED ON THE LAKE'S SURFACE.
KEEP CALM AND STILL.
THAT IS WHAT WE CALL—

LABELS: KEEP THE MIND CLEAR, UNDISTURBED BY EVIL THOUGHTS.



NO...YOU DID IT BY YOURSELF.
IT'S ALL BECAUSE OF YOU, FATHER.
THANK YOU FOR TRAINING ME.

BUT, RINTARO...
!!
YOU'VE DONE WELL ADOPTING THE SCHOOL OF THE BLUE MOON REFLECTED ON A LAKE...

...DO NOT REST ON YOUR LAURELS.
WE HAVE NO IDEA WHAT CHALLENGES YOU WILL FACE.

!!
...I SWEAR TO YOU, FATHER ...
THEN...
...WITH THE MOON AS MY WITNESS ...
YEAH ...
YOU'RE RIGHT.

...I WILL THOROUGHLY ABIDE BY...
...MY CREED WHEN IT COMES TO GIRLS...
...TO NEITHER INVOLVE MYSELF NOR GET INVOLVED!!
BA (CLENCH)
THIS IS MY OATH TO AVOID ALL CONTACT!!
TOMORROW'S THE ENTRANCE CEREMONY FOR YOUR HIGH SCHOOL.
YOU'LL BE BOARDING THERE, SO I WON'T SEE YOU FOR A WHILE, BUT KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK.
I'LL BE FINE.
AFTER ALL, THE SCHOOL I'M GOING TO—

NAN-GOKU-REN HIGH SCHOOL
—IS JAPAN'S TOP MAMMOTH-SIZED ALL-BOYS' SCHOOL.
入学式
男獄煉高校
SIGN: ENTRANCE CEREMONY
SIGN: NANGOKUREN HIGH SCHOOL
...OUGHTTA KEEP ME SAFE.
THIS SCHOOL...

WHO'S THERE?
HWAH!?
BIKUUUN (JUMP)
PIKU (PERK)
SIGN: CEREMONY
TCH!
ZA (TSK)
I'M IMPRESSED YOU FOUND US...
WELL DONE.
WHY WERE YOU... HIDING HERE?
I'M RINTARO. I'M ALSO A NEW STUDENT HERE.
NICE TO MEET YOU.
HI.
THAT THERE'S TAMAO.
WE'RE NEW HERE.
I'M KOSUKE.
A- AND YOU ARE?
I SAW YOUR FEET...
UH... W- WELL...

KUH KUH KUH...
WE'RE CHECKING OUT THE STUDENTS.
THAT SHOULD BE OBVIOUS.
CHECKING OUT THE STUDENTS?
HUH?
GUH-HEH-HEH-HEH-HEH ...
YOU CAN TAKE YOUR PICK OF ANYONE HERE.
THERE'S NO NEED TO HIDE IT.
YOU ENROLLED AT NANGOKUREN TO ENJOY SOME REAL-LIFE ACTION TOO, RIGHT?
TAKE MY PICK?
DUH-HEH... DUH-HEH-HEH-HEH.
FOR GOING OUT, THESE TWO THINGS ARE KEY.
IT'S ALL ABOUT THEIR FACES AND FIGURES ...
JURU (SLURP)
UH...

GOING OUT...
FIGURES ...
FACES ...
CHECK-ING THEM OUT.
WITH WHAT?
HUH?
AND I'M COMPLETELY FINE WITH THAT.
YEP.
I GET IT NOW.
THE WORLD'S MADE UP OF ALL KINDS OF PEOPLE.
YOU'RE GOING TO GET SOME QUEERS IN THE MIX.
THAT'S WHAT YOU GET FROM A MAMMOTH-SIZED ALL-BOYS' SCHOOL ...
IF YOU GO IN THERE NOW...!!
AH... WAIT ...!!
TA (TMP)
TA
TA
TA
TA
OH, IT'S OKAY. YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT ME.
LOVE KNOWS NO BOUNDARIES AND ALL ...
HA HA!

ZURA (CROWD)
!?
ZA (CSW)

HUH!?
G-GIRLS!?
WH-WHY!?
IT CAN'T BE...
WHAT ARE ALL THESE GIRLS DOING AT AN ALL-BOYS' SCHOOL!?
AH...MAYBE THEY'RE JUST GUYS DRESSED UP AS GIRLS.
NO, THAT'S NOT RIGHT!
WH-WHY...
...ARE THEY HERE!?
TSUJU STREAM
...
I GOT KNOCKED OUT DURING TRAINING AGAIN.
AM I DREAMING!? THAT MUST BE IT!!
PASU (WHIP)
BAKO (BASH)
ZUDAAAA (CHAAARGE)
スリ!!ーツ
!!
YOU LAME-BRAIN...
DON'T JUST BREAK DOWN IN THE MIDDLE OF THEIR WAY LIKE THAT!
...HUH!?
HEY!!
—Y!!

...IT'S ACTUALLY JAPAN'S LARGEST, FORMERLY ALL-GIRLS' SCHOOL.
THEY JUST WENT COED THIS YEAR!
B-BUT THERE'RE GIRLS...!!
NO SHIT!
"NAN-GOKUREN" MAY SOUND LIKE AN ALL-BOYS' SCHOOL NAME, BUT...
THE STUDENT BODY POPULATION IS 99% GIRLS.
...GIRLS.
99%...
N-NO WAY...
HAVE I MADE A TERRIBLE MISTAKE ...?
NAN-GO-KU-REN
NAME SOUNDS LIKE IT'D BE CRAWL-ING WITH GUYS
IT'S AN ALL-BOYS' SCHOOL
DID I JUST PUT MYSELF IN THIS PREDICA-MENT?
HFF! HFF!
PHEW, THAT WAS CLOSE.
...
ONCE THE EN-TRANCE CERE-MONY'S OVER ...
...I'LL START LOOKING INTO TRANS-FERRING!!
KUH KUH ...
SO THE TWO OF THEM ARE FINALLY HAVING A SHOWDOWN.
!?

...HAVE BEEN HURT BECAUSE OF YOU—
YOU HAVE NO IDEA HOW MANY STUDENTS ...
...SO LONG AS THERE ARE STUDENTS WHO ARE SUFFERING ...
NO MATTER HOW POWERFUL MY ENEMY...
GYU (TUG)
...I WON'T RUN FROM ANY BATTLE...
...IF IT MEANS PROTECTING THEM!!

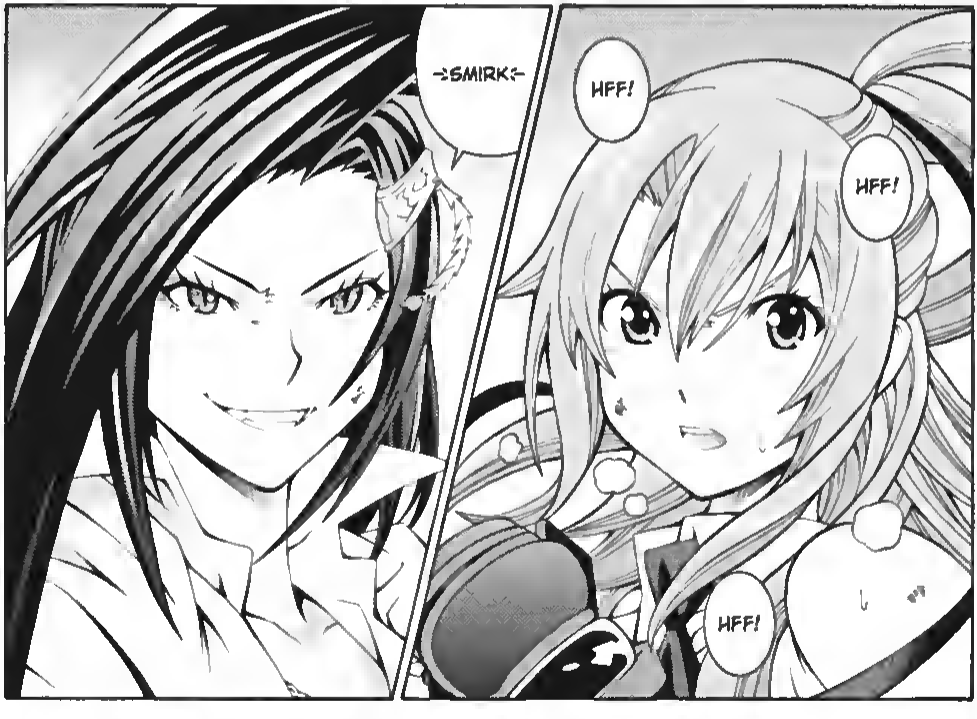
DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH.
HMPH!
...DEVOUR THE WEAK!!
GACHIN (CLASH)
THE STRONG...
IT'S ONLY NATURAL ...
...THAT THE PUNY DIE.

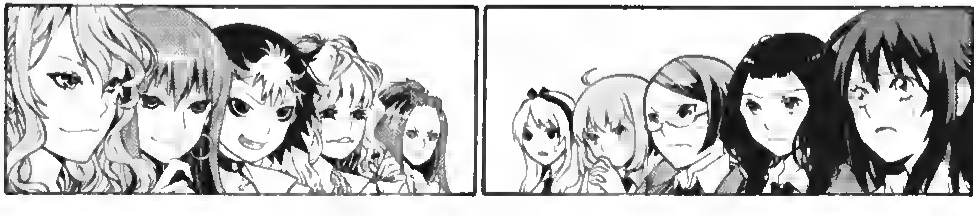
ガキィィィ
(CLAAANG)
シャ
(SWISH)
ヒュン
(SWISH)
クルリン
(TWIRL)

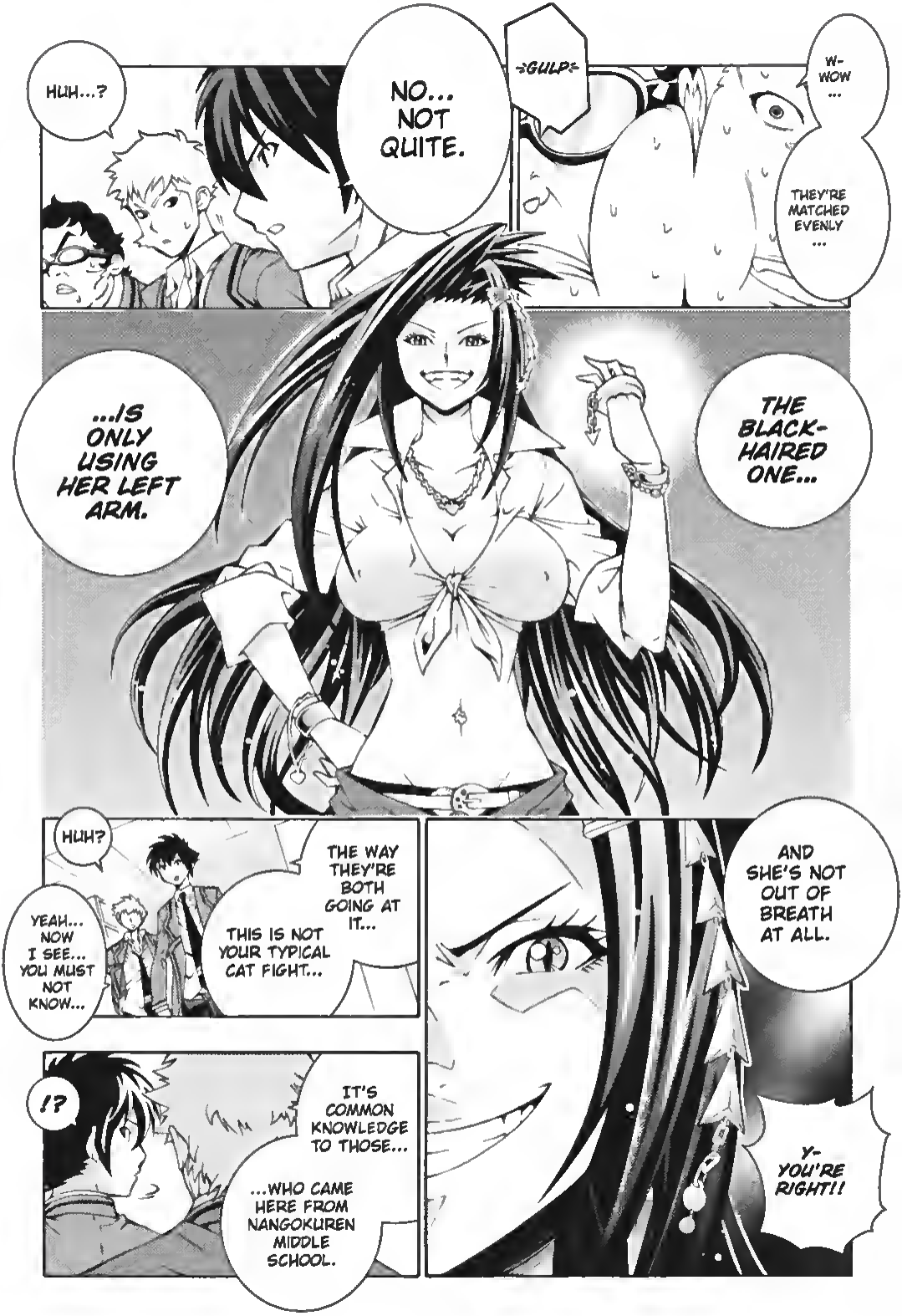
GAGO (BASH)
SHUUU (FSSHH)
GISHI (GRAB)
BUN (SWING)
!!
ZUO (WHOOSH)

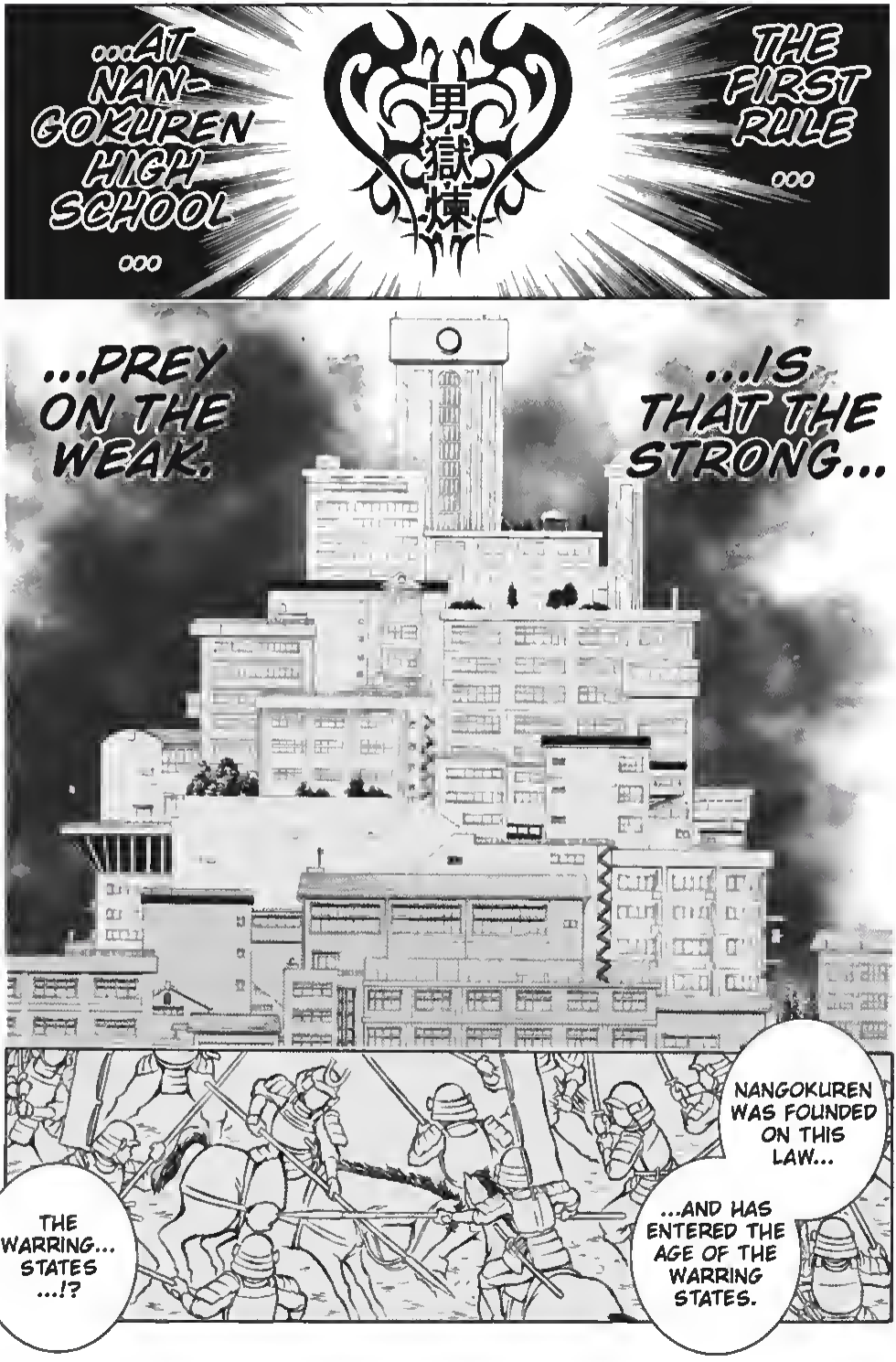
DA (DASH)
TAN (TAK)
KURU (FLIP)
BA (CHOP)
GA
GA
GA (BAM)
GA
GOO (WHOOSH)

BO (FWOOSH)
CHI
CHI (FIZZ)

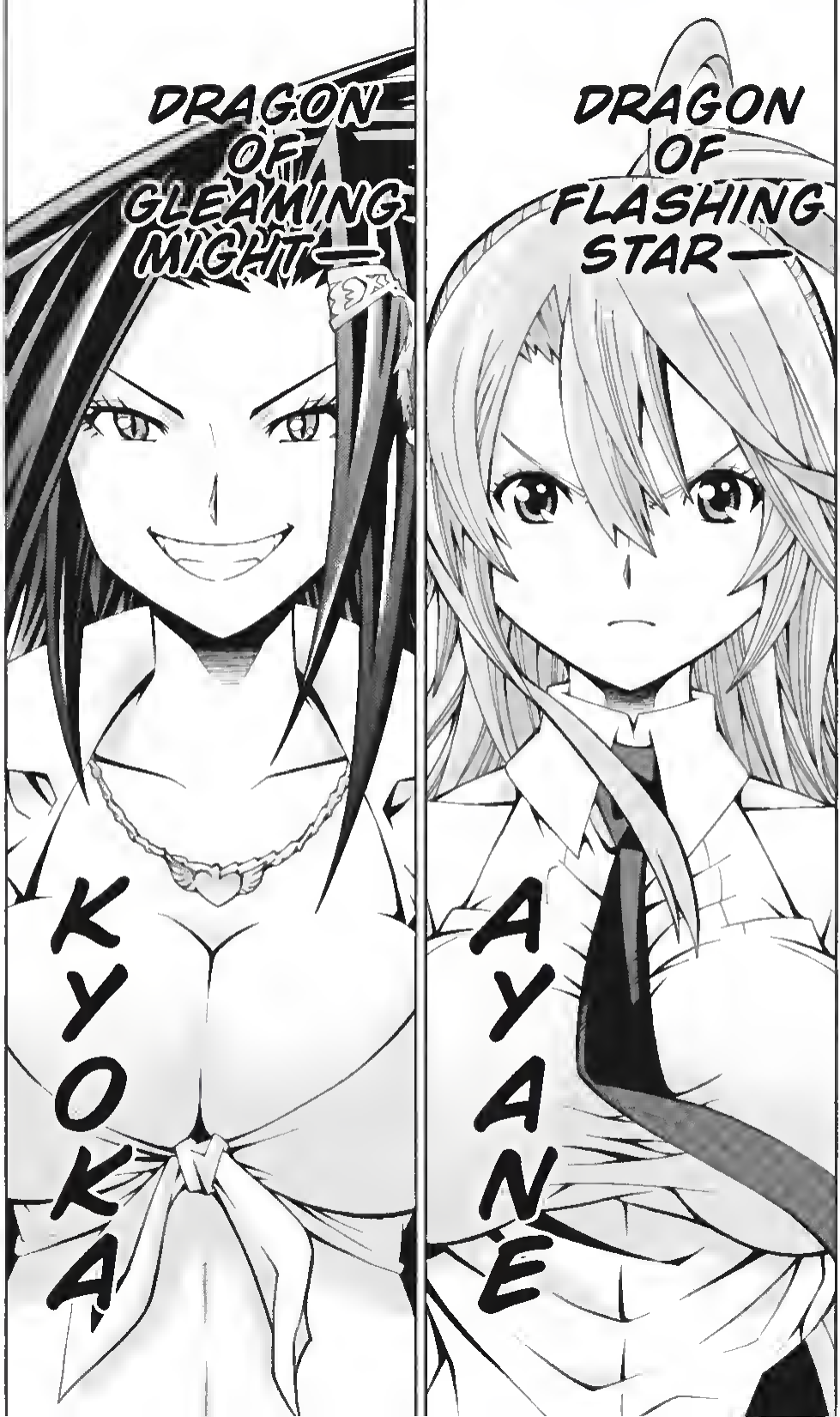

-:SMIRK:-
HFF!
HFF!
HFF!




HUH...?
NO... NOT QUITE.
=GULP=
W-WOW...
THEY'RE MATCHED EVENLY...
...IS ONLY USING HER LEFT ARM.
THE BLACK-HAIRED ONE...
HUH?
THE WAY THEY'RE BOTH GOING AT IT...
THIS IS NOT YOUR TYPICAL CAT FIGHT...
YEAH... NOW I SEE... YOU MUST NOT KNOW...
AND SHE'S NOT OUT OF BREATH AT ALL.
Y-YOU'RE RIGHT!!
!?
IT'S COMMON KNOWLEDGE TO THOSE...
...WHO CAME HERE FROM NANGOKUREN MIDDLE SCHOOL.


...AT NAN-GOKUREN HIGH SCHOOL ...
男獄煉
THE FIRST RULE ...
...PREY ON THE WEAK.
...IS THAT THE STRONG...
THE WARRING... STATES ...!?
NANGOKUREN WAS FOUNDED ON THIS LAW...
...AND HAS ENTERED THE AGE OF THE WARRING STATES.

RIGHT NOW, THREE POWERS ARE IN COMPETITION WITH ONE ANOTHER...
FIRST-YEAR AYANE.
THIRD-YEAR KYOKA.
AND ONE MORE—SECOND-YEAR RINO.
THEIR IMMENSE STRENGTHS...
...INSTILL SUCH FEAR AND AWE...
...THAT THEY ARE KNOWN AS "DRAGONS."


DRAGON OF GLEAMING MIGHT—
KYOKA
DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR—
AYANE

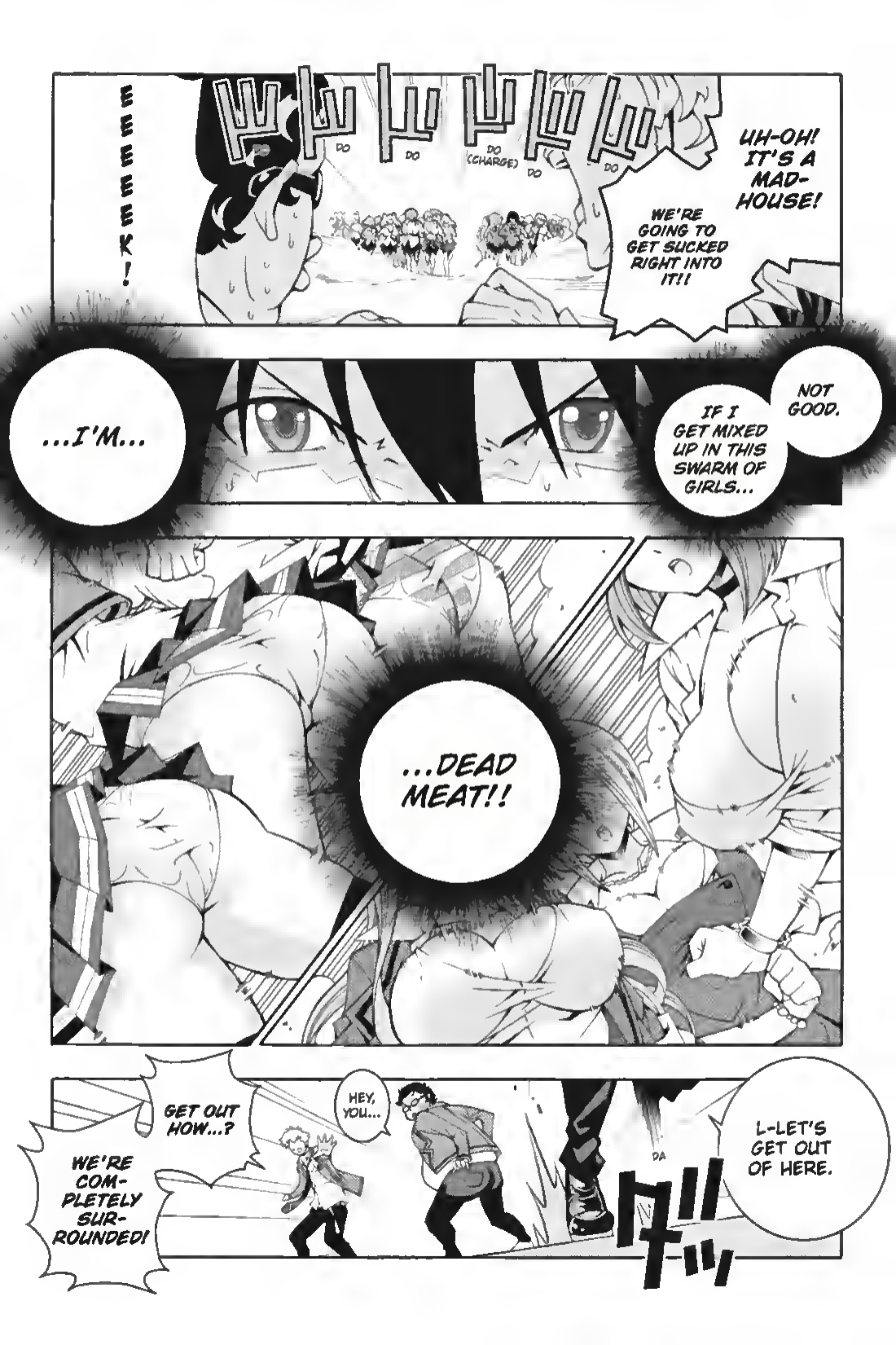
DRAGON OF STORMING JADE—
RINO
PREVIOUSLY, THOUGH KYOKA WAS SOMEWHAT AHEAD...
...SHE AND RINO WERE THE TOP TWO DRAGONS.
—BUT!!
THOUGH HER ARMY IS SMALL, AYANE INTERVENED...
...AND NOW THERE ARE THREE DRAGONS VYING FOR THE TOP.
ゴク
GOKU (GULP)

YEAH...
THAT'S MORE LIKE IT.
DO (DSSHO)
SHUBA (PWIP)
BA
BA
RAPID FLASHING DRAGON PIERCE
SHOW ME WHAT YOU'VE REALLY GOT.
SMALL FRIES HAVE THE TENDENCY TO BE SO HALF-ASSED ABOUT THINGS.
SFX: KUI (COAX) KUI
KYU (SQUINT)
KA (CLACK)
MEKI BLEGE
DAKI (CRICK)
MEKI
SH-SHE'S FAST ...!!
WHOA —!
AYANE'S FINISHING MOVE!
TH-THERE IT IS!

GO (BAM)
URAAAH...!!
CRUSHING STRENGTH OF VIOLENT SUPREMACY
GUH...!!
!?
DOOOOO (THUDDING)
BASHIII (RRRRRIP)

I-IS THIS FOR REAL ...?
SHUUUU (SSSHHH)
-:GULP:-
SHE GOT A COUNTER-PUNCH IN...
GARA (CRMBL)
UUH... KUH...!
HFF!
HFF!
GARA
PARA (PLNK)
PARA
TOO CLOSE!!
HYO (HEF?)
EH-HEE!
OOH!
EYE CANDY! EYE CANDY!

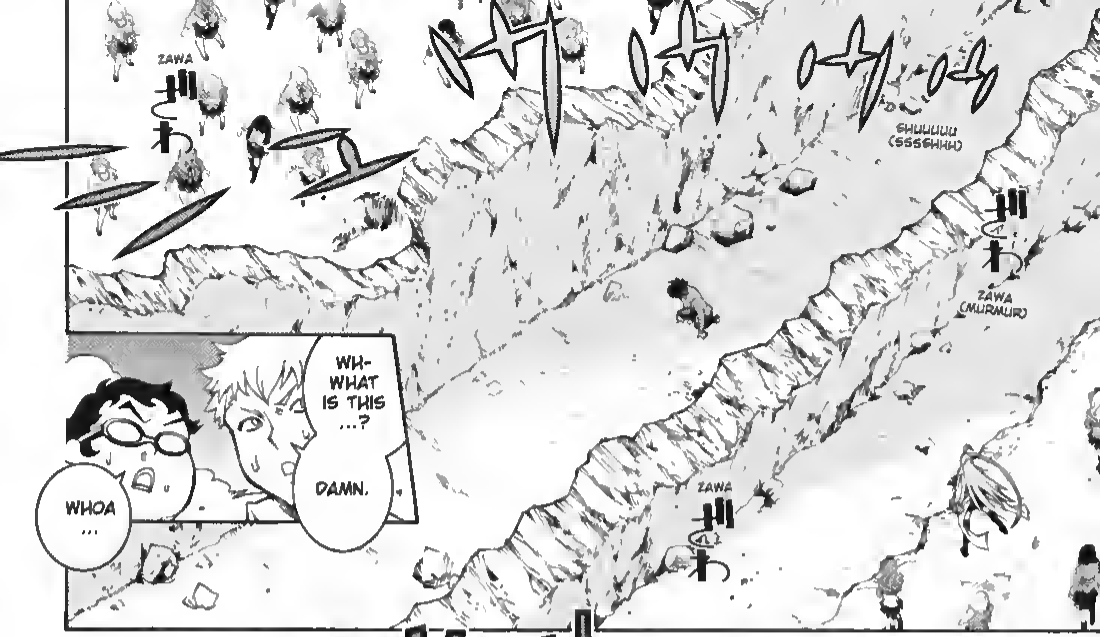
HMPH!!
HEY!! THIS IS SUPPOSED TO BE ONE-ON-ONE!
YOU GONNA BUTT IN!?
SH-SHE'S SO STRONG...
WE'VE GOT TO PROTECT AYANE!
YEAH! LET'S SHIELD HER!!
HOLD IT RIGHT THERE!
DA
DA (DASH)
AYANE!
DON'T MESS AROUND!
LET'S GO!!
I'M NOT DONE YET!!
FINISHED ALREADY?
I HAVEN'T HAD NEARLY ENOUGH.
GACHIN (CLASH)
DA (CLASH)


EEEEEEK!
DO
DO
DO (CHARGE)
DO
DO
UH-OH! IT'S A MAD-HOUSE!
WE'RE GOING TO GET SUCKED RIGHT INTO IT!!
...I'M...
IF I GET MIXED UP IN THIS SWARM OF GIRLS...
NOT GOOD.
...DEAD MEAT!!
WE'RE COM-PLETELY SUR-ROUNDED!
GET OUT HOW...?
HEY, YOU...
DA
L-LET'S GET OUT OF HERE.

BA (DASH)
-GLANCE-
HUH?
WHAT THE ...!?
!?
BA (WHIP)
U-UWAH !!
BAN (VAVOOM)

THE SCHOOL OF...
...THE BLUE MOON RE-FLECT-ED ON A LAKE
KA (FLASH)
BOIN (BOUNCE)
ほぃ
GA (BLOCK)
GUH ...!!
TH-THIS COULDN'T GET ANY WORSE.
SHIT!! I'VE NEVER BEEN THIS UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL...
...WITH TWO HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' BREASTS AT ONE TIME...
KEEP IT UNDIS-TURBED.
CLEAR MY MIND.

ZUGO
GAKIN
!?
ZU
BOUL-
DER
SHAT-
TERING
ROAR
OF
RUIN
WAY
OF THE
TIGER'S
JAW—


ZAWA
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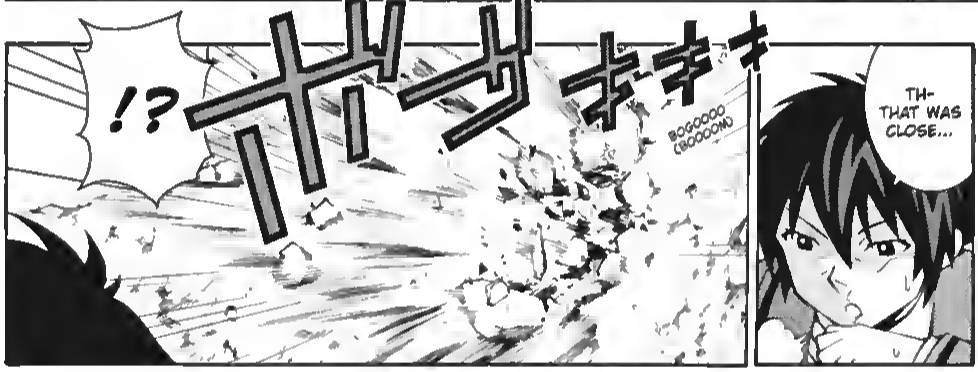
ZAWA
ZAWA (MURMUR)
SHUUUUU (SSSSHHH)
WHOA...
WH-WHAT IS THIS...?
DAMN.

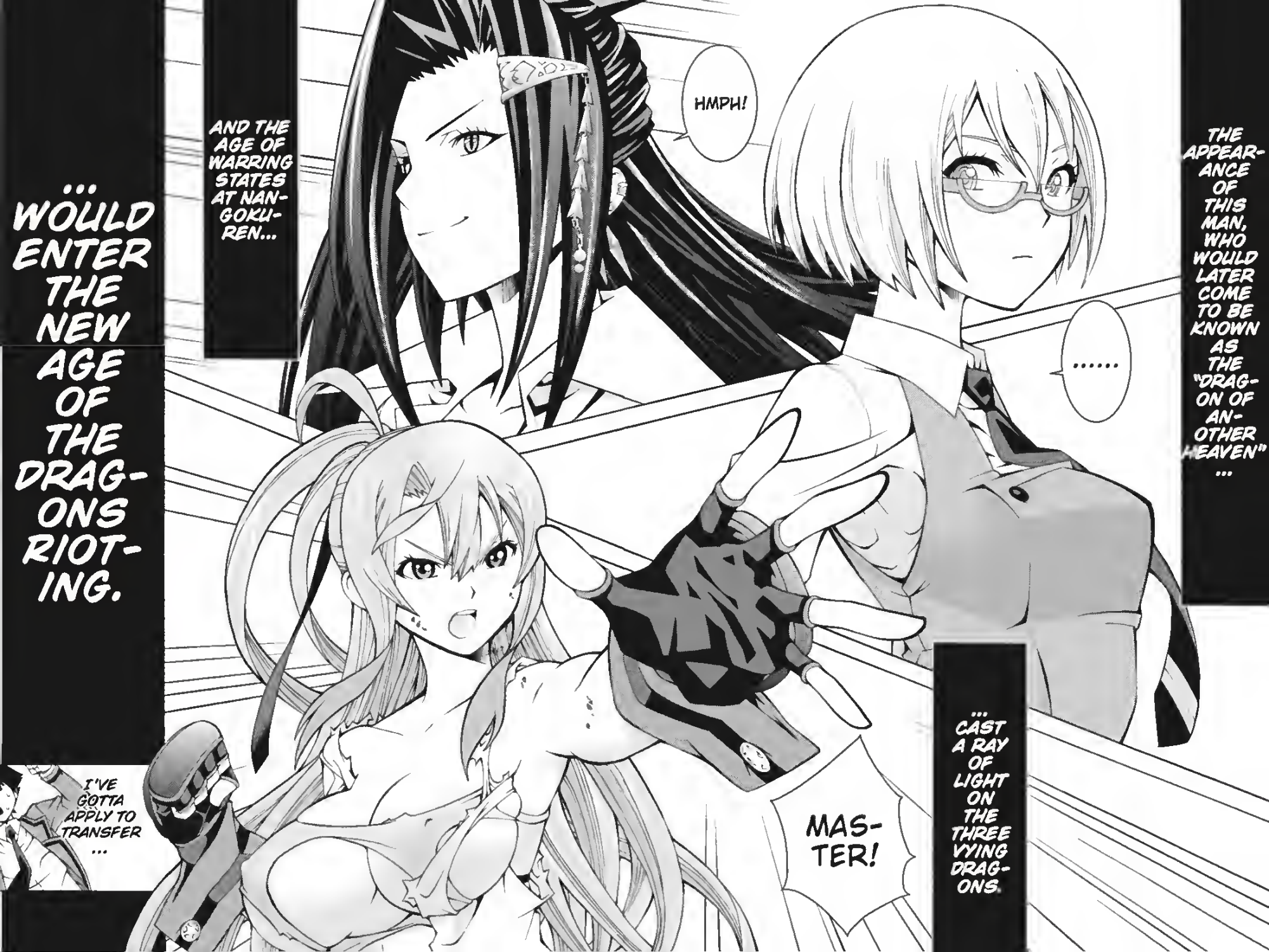

!?
BOGOOOO (BOOOOM)
TH-THAT WAS CLOSE...

I GOTTA HAND IT TO YOU...
THIS MOVE IS PRETTY BAD-ASS.
SHOULDN'T I BE ASKING YOU THE SAME QUESTION?
HEY, YOU...
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?
UH... NOTHING...
BAIN (BOUNCE)

...I'LL EAT YOU.
NEXT TIME YOU GET IN MY WAY...
HUH ...?
E-EAT ME?
I'M NOT FEELING HUNGRY ANYMORE.
LET'S GO.
YES, MA'AM !!
KA (CLACK)
KA (CLACK)
!!
PITA (PAUSE)
TAN (TMP)
TSUKA (STRUT)
TSUKA
PHEW...
UH... HUH?
WH... WH-WH-WH-WH-WH...
...WHAT IS IT?
(GASP)

...MAKE ME YOUR STU-DENT!
PLEASE...
HUH?
...COACH ME!!
PLEASE...

OOOOOPS!!
!?
SHUBA (FWIP)
BA
BA
TH-THIS IS DANGER-OUS.
THIS SCHOOL AND ITS STUDENTS ARE WAY TOO DANGEROUS.
SUCH GRACE!
ARE YOU ALREADY TEACHING ME!?
"S-STU-DENT"!?
BFFT ...!
ZAWA (MURMUR)
BAM


...WOULD ENTER THE NEW AGE OF THE DRAGONS RIOTING.
AND THE AGE OF WARRING STATES AT NANGOKUREN...
HMPH!
THE APPEARANCE OF THIS MAN, WHO WOULD LATER COME TO BE KNOWN AS THE "DRAGON OF ANOTHER HEAVEN"...
.....
...CAST A RAY OF LIGHT ON THE THREE VYING DRAGONS.
MASTER!
I'VE GOTTA APPLY TO TRANSFER...

Dragons Rioting

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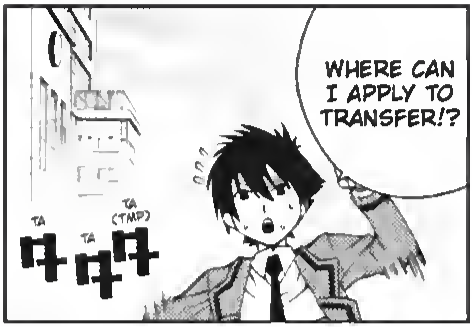
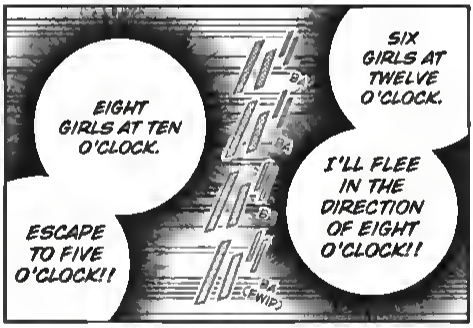
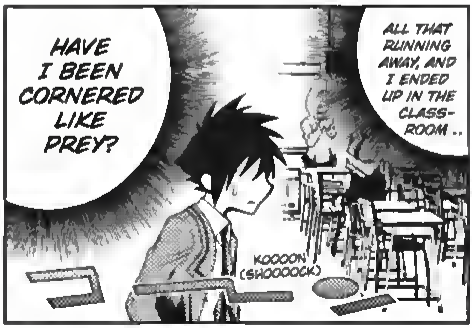



SIX GIRLS AT TWELVE O'CLOCK.
EIGHT GIRLS AT TEN O'CLOCK.
I'LL FLEE IN THE DIRECTION OF EIGHT O'CLOCK!!
ESCAPE TO FIVE O'CLOCK!!
BA (EWID)



I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS IS HAPPENING...
THE THING I FEAR MOST...
1-H
...HAS BECOME REALITY!!
I FEEL ALL TOO KEENLY...
...DANGER TO MY LIFE...!!
...THE REAL AND PRESENT...
I DIDN'T HAVE ANY TIME TO FIND THE APPLICATION FOR TRANSFERRING ...
CHIRA
.....
CHIRA (GLANCE)

AS FAR AS THE EYE CAN SEE...
...IT'S ALL GIRLS.

THE PLACE IS LITTERED WITH GIRLS. IT'S OVERFLOWING WITH GIRLS. THAT'S A LOT OF GIRLS!!
MAS-TER...
ARE YOU NOT FEELING WELL?
I'M NOT YOUR MASTER...
WHERE THERE'RE GIRLS, THERE'RE GIRLS AND MORE GIRLS. AAAUGH, I DON'T UNDERSTAND!!

THIS SITUA-TION'S WAY TOO RISKY FOR ME!!
IT'S NOT THAT I'M FEELING UNWELL.
I JUST WANT TO GET THE HELL OUT OF THIS CLASS-ROOM...!!

Dragons Rioting
DRAGON 2
—AFTER THE RAIN COMES FAIR WEATHER
HERE AT NANGOKUREN HIGH SCHOOL, THERE ARE THREE FEMALE STUDENTS WHO ARE KNOWN AS THE DRAGONS.
WITH THE STRENGTHS THEY EACH BOAST, THEY'RE VYING FOR THE TOP POSITION.

I'LL BE YOUR HOMEROOM TEACHER, OKINA.
LADIES AND GENTLE-MAN!!
CONGRATU-LATIONS ON GETTING INTO THIS SCHOOL.
I HOPE WE CAN GET ALONG...
SO GOOD LUCK TO ALL OF YOU.
KA CCLICK
...IT IS GENEROUS WHEN IT COMES TO REWARDING THOSE WHO WORK HARD.
I KNOW THIS SCHOOL CAN BE A HANDFUL, BUT...
!!
YOU THERE ...
MAS-TER...
SFX: PITA (PAUSE)
THE THIRD DRAGON IN COMPETITION WITH DRAGON OF GLEAMING MIGHT, KYOKA...
...AND STORMING JADE, RINO.
DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR, AYANE...

THE ARMY YOU LEAD...
...IS THE "FLASHING DRAGON ANCHOR."
I WONDER HOW LONG THEY CAN LAST AGAINST THE OTHER TWO DRAGONS...
OF COURSE...
...YOU ARE READY FOR WHAT IT'LL TAKE, AREN'T YOU?
YES.
.....
HEH HEH ...
YOU HAVE EYES OF CLEAR WATER...
I'LL BE ROOTING FOR YOU, AYANE-SAN.
THANK YOU VERY MU—
BUT—

SO GO OUT THERE AND LIVE YOUR YOUTH TO THE FULLEST! ♥
HFF!
AAAAH!
YOU HAVE TO LOVE TOO! ♥
THEY CALL YOU A "STUDENT," BUT I READ IT AS "YOUTH"!!
HFF!
SEN-SEI?
KUNE
KUNE (GROPE)
PITA (FREEZE)
Y-YES, MA'AM.
IS THAT CLEAR TO YOU ALL?
KEEP IT UNDIS-TURBED.
I JUST HAVE TO SURVIVE MY FIRST DAY!!
AFTER SCHOOL, I'LL GO APPLY TO TRANSFER.
CLEAR MY MIND.
GONE
HE'S GONE!?
WON'T YOU PLEASE ACCEPT ME AS YOUR STUDENT —?
MAS-TER...
KAAAAN (DING)
KOOON (DONG)
キー!
コー!
カー!
KAAN (DING)

HYU (ZIP)
HYUN
WAY OF THE WOLF'S FANG—
DRIFTING LIGHT-NING RUNNING DASH
SHIIN (SILENCE)
M-MAS-TER!
WHERE ARE YOU GOING!?
NO ONE IS NOTICING HIM...!!
!? S-SO FAST !!
.....
KI (GLARE)
キッ……

KUH...
GOT ...
DOGOO (BOOOM)
...CHA!
!!
DON (BLAM)
BRACE YOURSELF.
!?
BA (WHIP)

HIYAAAAAAAH!
DOGA (BAM)
GA
GA
GA
GA
HYU (PLUCK)
GA (SWISH)
GA (GRAB)
THAT'S ENOUGH.
P TO PAUSE
...YOUR TRAINING OVER SPRING BREAK, AYANE.
SU... SU (SCOOP)
I SEE... SO YOU DIDN'T NEGLECT ...
YOU TOO, MAKOTO ...
PARA (PLIK) PARA
GARA (SWAY) GARA
YOU'VE EVEN GOTTEN SHARPER.

OOOH. ♪ THAT'S SOME NIFTY CARVING WORK YOU DID THERE.
FLASHING DRAGON ANCHOR SECOND-IN-COMMAND
HARDY SWALLOW IN FLIGHT— KEIKO
I'M STILL NOT SATISFIED WITH WHERE I'M AT.
FLASHING DRAGON ANCHOR SECOND-IN-COMMAND
FIERCE FIGHTING EMPRESS— MAKOTO

MORE IMPORTANTLY, AYANE—!!
ズボ
ZUBO (PLUNGE)
I THOUGHT IT'D BE PERFECT TO THROW AT YOU.
NO ROCK IS GOOD FOR THROWING AT SOMEONE!!
PECHI
PECHI (CHAT)
NAH HA HA!
KEIKO!! BRINGING ROCKS ONTO SCHOOL GROUNDS IS FORBIDDEN!
IT'S ONLY TEN O'CLOCK.
THERE'S THAT BOSOM POCKET AGAIN.
LET'S HAVE LUNCH. ♪
HYOI
HYOI (YOINK)
ALL THE TIME BETWEEN BREAKFAST AND DINNER IS LUNCH-TIME.
WOULD YOU QUIT THAT MEAL-EVERY-HOUR LIFESTYLE OF YOURS?
SO, LET'S HAVE OUR ELEVEN O'CLOCK MEAL TOGETHER.
AYANE, KEIKO, WOULD YOU PLEASE STOP IT WITH THE COMEDY ROUTINE?
H-HOW IS THIS ANYTHING LIKE A COMEDY ROUTINE!?
YEAH, AYANE'S DREAM IS TO BE A SOLO COMEDIAN—
IT IS NOT!!
BY THE WAY, AYANE...
PAKU (MUNCH)
I'M A GROWING GIRL!!

YOU DIDN'T EVEN TALK TO US ABOUT IT.
YEAH, YEAH.
→CHEW←
→CHEW←
WHAT IS THE MEANING OF THIS?
...YOU'RE GOING TO MAKE YOURSELF ANOTHER'S STUDENT?
...WERE SHARP...
.....
KYOKA'S CLAWS...
SHARPER THAN I'D IMAGINED!!

H-HEY!
SORRY, I'VE GOT TO GO.
TAN (TMP)
!!
HUH!?
I'M GOING TO TAKE A BATH.
AGAIN? YOU JUST TOOK A BATH THIS MORNING.
I WORKED UP TWO WHOLE DROPS OF SWEAT.
.....
BESIDES, I LIKE TAKING BATHS.
I FEEL SICK IF I DON'T WASH OFF MY SWEAT.
YOU PUT EVEN SHIZUKA-CHAN TO SHAME!!
YEAH, BUT STILL...
SHE SEEMS INTENT ON BECOMING A STUDENT.
BUT—
AYANE NEVER GOES BACK ON WHAT SHE'S DECIDED.
IS AYANE GONNA BE OKAY?

IF THIS IS A MAN WHO AYANE ACTUALLY RESPECTS...
...THEN WE MAY HAVE TO SEE THIS FOR OURSELVES.
YEAH!!
-BUSTLE-
-BUSTLE-
-GABF-
-GABF-
HAAAAAAH!
.....
PHEEEEEW.
...WANNA BE MY STUDENT SO BAD?
UGH, COME ON...
WHY DO YOU...
I WISH TODAY WOULD JUST END BEFORE I DO!
END AL-READY!

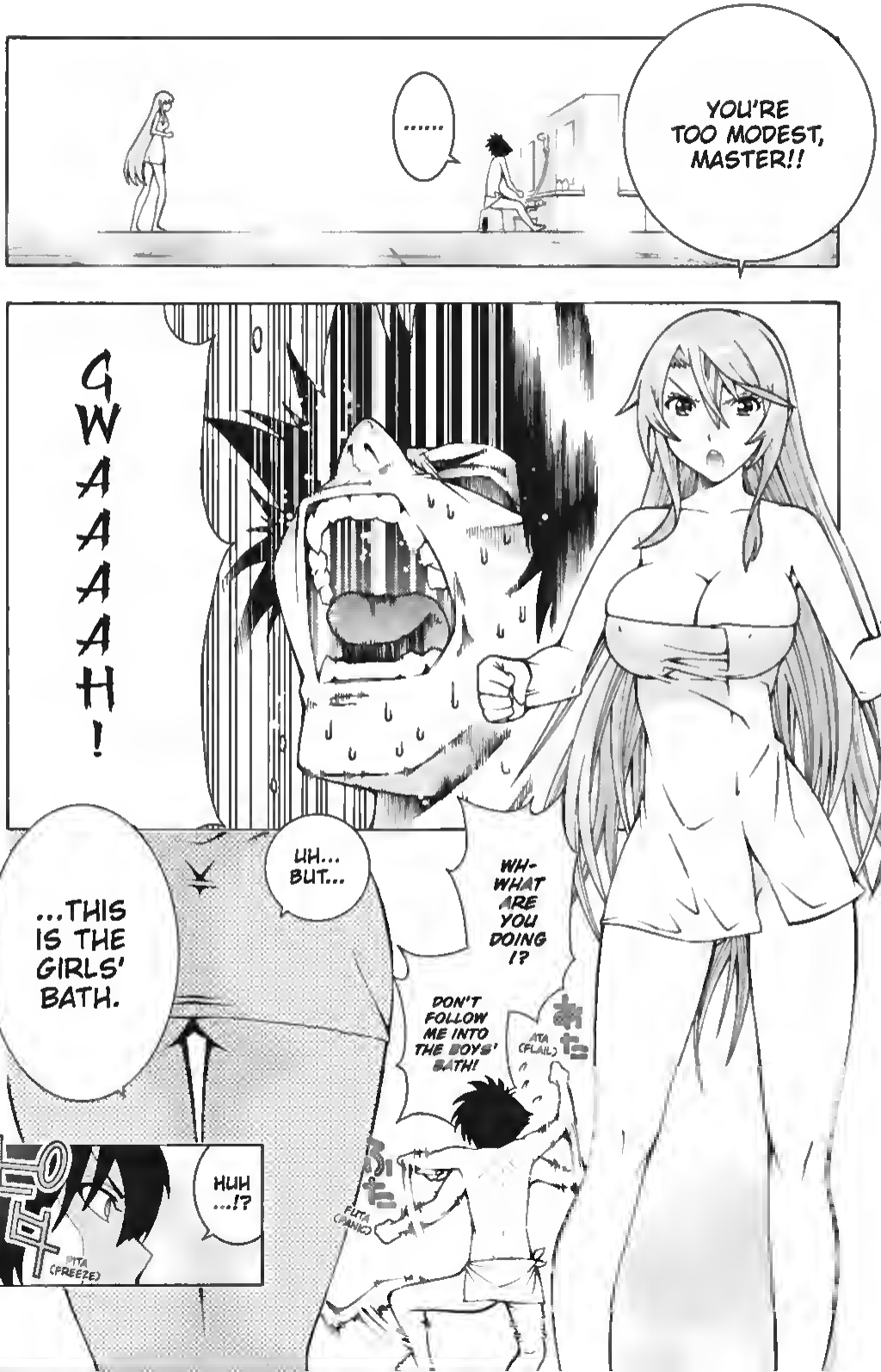
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE AFTER, BUT...
...YOU SHOULD GIVE UP ON BEING MY STUDENT ...
SU (STEP)
!!
YOU SENSED MY PRESENCE...
GUESS I SHOULDN'T BE SURPRISED.
.....
I...
I CANNOT LOSE, NO MATTER WHAT.
FOR THE SAKE OF THIS SCHOOL...
...AND EVERYONE IN THE FLASHING DRAGON ANCHOR.
!?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN CAN'T LOSE?
YOU MEAN AGAINST THAT KYOKA GIRL?
KYOKA, YES, BUT ALSO RINO.
THEIR POWERS ARE IMMEASURABLE...

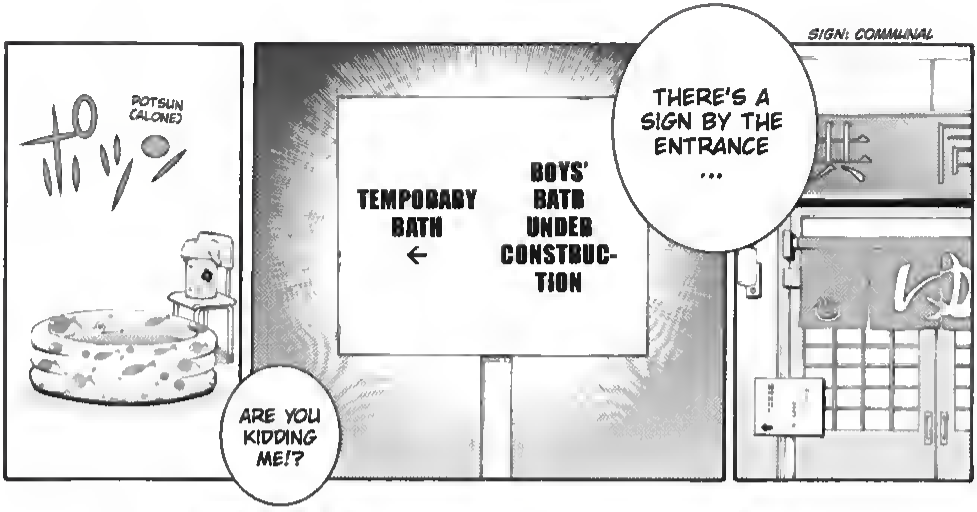
GORO
GORO RUMBLE
IAAAAA (SSSSHHH)
BOTH OF THEM ARE A TALL WALL...
AND I MUST OVERCOME THEM...
...BY MY OWN STRENGTH.
SUTA (THIS)
SUTA
I CAN'T SAY I DON'T KNOW HOW YOU FEEL...
TH-THEN —!?
...TO OVERCOME BY MY OWN STRENGTH.
A TALL WALL
.....
...YOU DON'T HAVE TO BECOME MY STUDENT—
SO...
...BUT ISN'T THERE ANOTHER WAY?
TALKING IT OUT, FOR INSTANCE.
OR ALL TRANSFERRING TO ANOTHER SCHOOL.
RUNNING AWAY IS JUST ANOTHER WAY OF DEALING WITH SOMETHING, RIGHT?

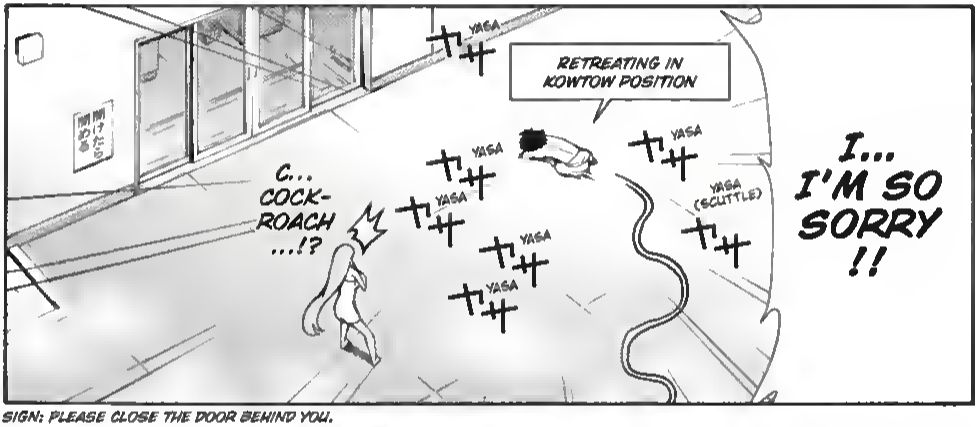
NO. THE WAY I AM NOW...
!?
TOO CLOSE!!
TOO... T-T-T- T-T-T- TOO...
SFX: HIKU (TWITCH)
S-SORRY.
AH...
KURU (FLIP)
EEK!
ZUBE (SLIP)
WAH!
HUP!
HA (HOP)

!?
THE DEVIL CLOTH OF TEMPTATION— GIRL'S BRA
ZUBAAAA (GLIIIIDE)
DELIVER ME FROM EVIL!!
#11
I... I'M NOT PLAYING AROUND ...
ZAAAAAA (ZSSSSHHH)
I'M DEAD SERIOUS HERE!!
PLEASE GO TO THE DORMITORY BATH.
YOU'RE SOAKING WET.
S-STOP PLAYING AROUND, MASTER.

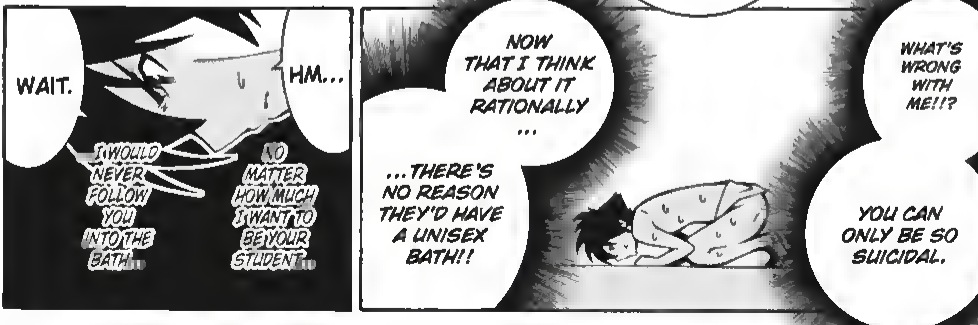
IT'S SO SPACIOUS.
OOOH.
THAT'S NOT TRUE!
NO...IT ABSOLUTELY IS.
ANYWAY, I DON'T HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO BE ANYONE'S MASTER.
WAIT...
HUH?
SIGH...
JAAAA (SSSSHHH)
ジャー
IF SHE BECOMES MY STUDENT...
...THEY'LL NEVER LET ME TRANSFER.


YOU'RE TOO MODEST, MASTER!!
.....
GWAAAAH!
WH-WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
ATA (FLAIL)
DON'T FOLLOW ME INTO THE BOYS' BATH!
FUTA (PANIC)
UH... BUT...
...THIS IS THE GIRLS' BATH.
HUH ...!?
PITA (FREEZE)





SIGN: PLEASE CLOSE THE DOOR BEHIND YOU.


WAIT.
HM...
I WOULD NEVER FOLLOW YOU INTO THE BATH...
NO MATTER HOW MUCH I WANT TO BE YOUR STUDENT...
NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT RATIONALLY ...
...THERE'S NO REASON THEY'D HAVE A UNISEX BATH!!
WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME!!?
YOU CAN ONLY BE SO SUICIDAL.

!!
I WAS TESTING YOU...
HUH?
YOU FAIL!
IF WE CAN'T EVEN KEEP COMPANY NAKED...
...THEN YOU ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO BE MY STUDENT!!
A STUDENT MUST BE ABLE TO AT LEAST WASH HER MASTER'S BACK!
KUWA (GRAWR)
KAPOOON (KERPLUUUUNK)
AND OF COURSE SHE CAN'T DO THAT.
I HOPE SHE'LL JUST DROP IT NOW.
HMPH.
"K-KEEP COMPA-NY...
...NAKED"!?

I... I DON'T BELIEVE THIS.
I JUST DUG MY OWN GRAVE!!
I COME FROM A HOUSEHOLD FULL OF BOYS ...
...SO I'M USED TO SEEING NAKED MALE BODIES. I'LL BE FINE.
キラ
OHIRA (GUARANCE)
HOW AM I GOING TO GET THROUGH THIS...?
!!
THIS IS THE WORST POSSIBLE SCENARIO IN MY LIFE!!
R-RIGHT? ...I THINK.
BUTSU
UH... S-SURE.
BUTSU
SHE'S ONLY RUBBING ME WITH A TOWEL, SO I'M SAFE!
NOW YOU CAN ACKNOWLEDGE ME AS YOUR STUDENT, RIGHT?
KIRI (CLENCH)
I SHOULD BE ABLE TO KEEP MY OATH TO AVOID ALL CONTACT... I MUST!!
BUTSU (MUTTER)
THE SOUNDS OF HIS STOMACH IN PAIN
KIRI
BUTSU

!!!!
!!!?
PARA (FLAP)
DWAAAAAAH!
BAN (BAM)

FURU (TREMBL)
ふるふる
FURU
ふるふる
.....
EEL.
SA (SWISH)
さっ
YUCK.
EEL? EEL? EEL? EEL?
EEL? EEL? EEL? EEL?
EEL? EEL? EEL? EEL?
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SFX: GARA (RATTLE) GARA
ガラ
MY HOROSCOPE FOR TODAY: CATA-STROPH-IC.
TIMES I'VE SEEN A GIRL DRESSED INDECENTLY: DOZENS.
TIMES I'VE BEEN SEEN WHILE DRESSED INDECENTLY MYSELF: ONCE.
I... I CAN'T TAKE IT ANYMORE!
I'VE REACHED MY LIMIT!
ZUDAAAA (CHAAAARGE)
ズダー

DON'T TAKE FOOD INTO OUR SACRED BATHING ROOM.
AND DON'T BRING IN THAT ROCK WITH YOU.
IT'S ELEVEN O'CLOCK, SO I'VE GOT TO EAT.
AND I'M GONNA WASH THIS ROCK AND HANG IT BY THE FRONT GATE.
!?
THERE ARE TIGERS AT THE FRONT DOOR...
...AND A WOLF AT THE BACK!

!!
A MAN ...?
HUH?
HEY, YOU'RE ...
!!
PITA (PALISE)
!!
EEL.
SCARY.

OOF!
GOGA (BAM)
JERK!!
YOU RAT!!
GOGOGOGO (GOOOOM)
WE'VE SEEN ENOUGH. HE'S THE SCUM OF THE EARTH.
ZA (CSH)
HUH?
TRASH?
STAND UP, YOU PIECE OF TRASH!
WHAT DID HE DO TO YOU, AYANE?
Y-YOU'VE GOT IT ALL WRONG...
GARA
GARA (CRMBL)
HOLD IT...

BA (FWIP)
HOLD IT! BOTH OF YOU!!
I'M IN A BATH WITH THREE HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS!?
SPARE ME THE INJUSTICE!!
THERE'S NO...
CLEAR MY MIND.
KEEP IT UNDISTURBED.
SU (SIGH)
...WAY OUT.
TCH!
DA (DASH)
IF YOU THINK YOU CAN SHUT YOUR EYES AND ACCEPT YOUR FATE NOW...
...YOU'RE TOO LATE!!

SUKA (SLASH)
ZUTA (SKID)
HYU (ZIP)
HUH?
YOU ARE GUILTY OF TWO CRIMES...
THE FIRST IS MAKING A PASS AT AYANE...
...AND THE SECOND ...

...IS SULLYING OUR SACRED BATH!
BO (WHOOSH)
WU
WHAT...!?
!!
HAAAAAAAH!
SHA (SWISH)
SHA
SHA
HI-YAH!!
BUN (SWING)
SU (SUCK)
...IS HOW I CAN READ MY OPPONENTS' NEXT MOVES.
THIS IS IT—
THE SLIGHT SHIFT AND TREMOR IN THE AIR...
...THAT COMES FROM THEIR BREATHING AND MOVEMENTS ...

STONE CRUSH-ING WATER DROP-LETS
THE SCHOOL OF THE BLUE MOON RE-FLECTED ON A LAKE
WAY OF THE WOLF'S FANG—
HE'S RUNNING ON THE WATER ...!?
IS HE AN IMMOR-TAL!?
H-HE'S PRETTY GOOD.
BUT... WE'RE NOT DONE YET.
!?
!!
KUH OW, OW..
WUH.. GUH..
BACHI (SPLAT)
CHI
CHI
CHI
ZAPAAAAN (SPLAAAASH)
PICHA (SPLISH)
PACHA (SPLASH)
CHAPU (SPLISH)
GAKUN (SLUMP)
DOHYU (ZIP)
HYU

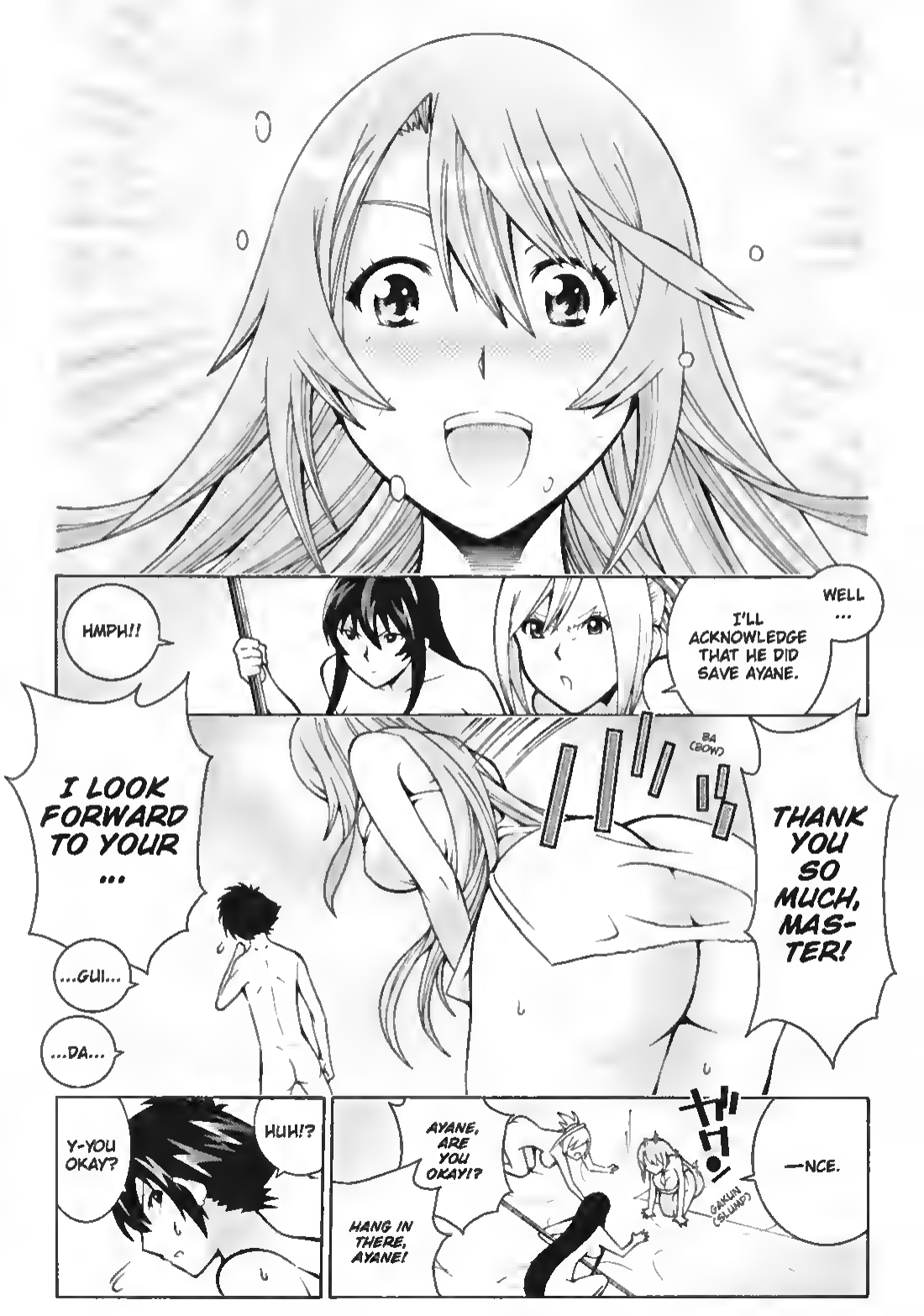
...THEY HIT ALL OF OUR VITAL POINTS.
I... I CAN'T MOVE.
GAKU
GAKU (TRMBL)
HE...
...ONLY STRUCK US WITH WATER BULLETS, BUT...
...SO AS NOT TO INJURE YOU.
SU (STEP)
!!
!!
... PURPOSELY USED WATER...
AND MY MASTER ...
I SHOULD BE OKAY NOW, RIGHT..?
WE ARE ABSOLUTELY NO MATCH FOR HIM.
HE HAS THE MENTAL CAPACITY TO BE MINDFUL EVEN OF HIS OPPONENTS...
...AND THE PHYSICAL CAPACITY TO ACT ACCORDINGLY.

TCH...
I'VE STILL GOT FIGHT LEFT IN ME YET!
KUH...
I'LL ADMIT HE'S STRONG, BUT THAT'S IT!
BASHUUUUU (BSSSSSHHT)
MEKI
MEKI (CRICK)
BISHI (FWSH)
BASU (FSHH)
BOSHU (BURST)
!?
DID I MESS UP THE PLUMBING WITH MY ATTACK...?
DOPA (SHH)
HOT! HOT, HOT, HOT, HOT!
DOBABABA (GUSH)
W-WATCH OUT—
!?
DOSHUUUUU! (GUUUUUSH)

!?
BA (BLOCK)
BASHIIIIII (SSSSHHH)
HEY!
YOU'LL BURN YOUR-SELF!
AYANE, STOP!
DOSHIIIIII (HHHSSSS)
I'M FINE...
AYANE, GET AWAY!
ENOUGH, AYANE!
THAT'S DANGEROUS ...
H-HOLD ON...
YOU REALLY SHOULD GET AWAY.

NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS, I'M NOT RUNNING AWAY.
FOR THE SAKE OF MY FRIENDS.
"FRIENDS"...
SKLISH (F-WHIP)
NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT...
...I'VE ONLY EVER THOUGHT ABOUT MYSELF.
I'VE NEVER ONCE DONE SOMETHING FOR SOMEBODY ELSE...

!?
BAZAZA (GUUUUUSH)
ZUZUN (THOOOMP)
!!
...THAT YOU HAVE PEOPLE WHO INSPIRE YOU TO BE THAT WAY.
AND I'M EVEN JEALOUS...
...IS HONESTLY INCREDIBLE.
PUTTING YOURSELF IN DANGER NOT FOR YOUR OWN SAKE, BUT FOR OTHERS'...
MM... THAT DOES IT.
...I'D LIKE TO...
...WORK WITH YOU.
IF YOU'LL HAVE ME...


HMPH!!
I'LL ACKNOWLEDGE THAT HE DID SAVE AYANE.
WELL ...
BA (BOW)
THANK YOU SO MUCH, MAS-TER!
I LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR ...
...GUI...
...DA...
Y-YOU OKAY?
HUH!?
AYANE, ARE YOU OKAY!?
HANG IN THERE, AYANE!
GAKUN (SLUMP)
—NCE.

A MOUNTAIN RANGE WITH SIX PERKY PEAKS
YOU FIEND...
DON'T YOU KNOW COMMON COURTESY TOWARD LADIES?
AH...
UH...
HEY...
...JUST BECAUSE YOU'RE HER MASTER DOESN'T MEAN YOU SHOULD BE SEEING THIS.
I'LL TEACH YOU MANNERS.
GET BACK HERE!
I KNEW IT. I'VE GOTTA TRANSFER ...
HUH!?
ZABOOOM (SPLOOOOSH)
CALAMITY IMMINENT !!

BORO (RAGGED)
COCK-A DOODLE DOOOO!
I'M ALWAYS FINDING MYSELF RIGHT NEXT TO THE ULTIMATE THREAT: GIRLS.
DRAGON 3
TWIN WINDS DANCE WILD
SIGNS. BOYS' DORM, GIRLS' DORM
ZZZ...
.....
...AND WORRIED ABOUT THE START OF ANOTHER.
~SNORE~
I'M RELIEVED ABOUT THE END OF ONE DAY...
...KEEP ME FROM GETTING UP.
WHY DID I AGREE TO TAKE HER AS MY STUDENT ...?
BUT MOST OF ALL, I DON'T WANT TO WAKE UP.
I DON'T WANT GIRLS...
I DON'T WANT A STUDENT ..
MY INSTINCTS OF SELF-PRESER-VATION..
!!
KU (SWF)

GOOD MORNING...
...MASTER.
!?
H-HEY THERE. MORNING ...
SA (SCOOT)
SA
NOOOOO!! I WAS TOO BUSY THINKING ABOUT ALL THE THINGS I DON'T WANT THAT I DIDN'T EVEN SENSE HER.
?
LET'S NOT WASTE ANY TIME...
ZA (ZSH)
...AND START MY TRAINING TODAY!

Dragons Rioting
DRAGON 3
TWIN WINDS DANCE WILD

I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS TRAINING OR WHATEVER, BUT...
...JUST GET IT OVER WITH ALREADY.
I WANT TO EAT.
FIRST, WE BATHE.
THE DAY CANNOT BEGIN UNTIL I'VE HAD MY BATH.
MAKOTO! EVERYBODY KNOWS...
...THE DAY ONLY BEGINS ONCE YOU'VE EATEN.
TAKING A BATH WAKES ME UP.
IT'S A JAPANESE CUSTOM, KEIKO.
BOTH OF YOU, I GET TO DO MY THING FIRST.
WE DECIDED BY ARM WRESTLING, REMEMBER?
WH-WHAT'S GOING ON?
AYANO (TRICKED)
UUH...
AYANO
KIE (GONE)
...PLEASE...
NOW THEN, MASTER...
LET'S HURRY UP WITH OUR TRAIN-ING...
WAY OF THE WOLF'S FANG— SPIDER
WHERE DID...
...THE MASTER GO!?
HEY, AYANE.
!!
MAS-TER!?

HMPH... JUST AS YOU GUESSED, AYANE.
THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE IS EXHIBITING CURIOUS ACTIVITY.
IF YOU'RE TOO LOUD...
...WE'LL NEVER HEAR THE END OF IT FROM THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE.
THE DISCI-PLINARY COMMIT-TEE... THAT RE-MINDS ME, MAKOTO ...
I SEE...
JUST AS I THOUGHT.
AND THEIR CONNECTION TO YOU-KNOW-WHO HAS BECOME CLEAR...
SUTA (TMP)
PHEW.
WHAT ON EARTH WAS THAT ALL ABOUT?
GIRLS WERE IN OUR ROOM.
GOOD GRIEF.
THIS IS TRAINING TO TRACK DOWN THE MASTER!!
HUH!?
DA (DASH)
LET'S GO...
...MAKOTO, KEIKO.
HUH!? WHERE?
KOOON
KAAAN (DING)
KOOON (DONG)
KIIIN (DING)

WHY AM I SITTING IN THE CLASSROOM AGAIN?
GOOD MORN-ING!
I HAVEN'T MADE ANY HEADWAY...
...AND THEN I HAD THOSE UNINVITED GUESTS EARLIER.
MORN-ING!
I REALLY OUGHTTA TRANSFER OUT OF HERE.
CHUU (SIP)
ココロやわらぎ茶
JUICE TEA TO EASE THE SOUL, INCLUDES 20 BEETLE HORNS!!
PIKU (PEEK)
ZA (CRSH)
HEY.
YO.
I'M TAMAO. DON'T YOU FORGET IT.
AW, DON'T TELL ME YOU FORGOT?
THERE AREN'T MANY OF US GUY STUDENTS. I'M KOSUKE.
OH... UUUH.
YOU'RE ...

SO WHAT WAS THIS MORNING ALL ABOUT?
YOU WERE PRETTY ACTIVE YESTERDAY.
DON'T TELL ME...
...YOU'VE BECOME THE MASTER TO THE DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR?
N-NOT REALLY.
WE SHARE THE SAME ROOM AND ARE IN THE SAME CLASS.
OH... S-SORRY.
I'VE HAD A LOT ON MY MIND
NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS, I'M NOT BACKING AWAY.
FOR THE SAKE OF MY FRIENDS.
MMM, WELL...
IT JUST SORTA WORKED OUT THAT WAY?
WELL, IN ANY CASE...
!!
I SEE, I SEE.
NIYARI
OOOH...
WE'RE FRIENDS.
WE MALE STU-DENTS ARE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN...
...SO LET'S HAVE ONE ANOTHERS' BACKS.

"FRIENDS"... EH?
S-SURE.
THANKS!
IT'S JUST ME AND TAMAO SO FAR THOUGH.
WE STILL HAVE A WHILE BEFORE CLASS, SO COME WITH ME
IF YOU HAVEN'T YET, WHY DON'T YOU JOIN OURS?
BY THE WAY, HAVE YOU DECIDED WHAT CLUB YOU WANT TO JOIN?
HUH? CLUB?
...WHERE WE, THE MALE MINORITY, SEARCH FOR A PLACE OF ASYLUM.
...WE'VE FORMED A CLUB...
IN A SCHOOL LIKE THIS THAT'S MADE OF [redacted] GIRLS...

KNOWN AS...
...THE ASYLUM KNOWLEDGE BRIGADE!
SO FAR, WE'VE SUCCEEDED IN SCOUTING 48 LOCATIONS.

RINTARO-KUN, COME OVER HERE...
HM?
YOU'RE RIGHT...
I FEEL LIKE I CAN RELAX HERE.

BETTER VIEW?
HEH HEH HEH ...
I HAVE AN EVEN BETTER VIEW TO COMFORT YOU.
A REAL OASIS FOR THE SOUL.

...OF THE GIRLS' CHANGING ROOM.
!?
THE COM-FORTING VIEW...

DOH HEE HEE.
PURU (TRMBL)
PURU
REMINDS YOU OF A GOEMON ISHIKAWA-STYLED "VIEW," DOESN'T IT?
PRETTY GOOD, RIGHT!!?

YOU CALL THIS A GREAT VIEW!?
MMPH!
TCH... YOU TURD.
Y-YOU IDIOT, KEEP IT DOWN!!
... US ...
THEY'LL CATCH ...
ALL RIGHT ...
...NOW IT'S YOUR TURN, RINTARO.
WHOA!
CLEAR MY MIND. KEEP IT UNDISTURBED.
RUN (FLING)
D-DAMN IT!
HYU (ZOOM)
DON'T PEEP ON US!
YOU BOYS ARE DEAD MEAT!

NOT SO FAST!!
HE'S THE DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR AYANE'S MASTER...
...THE GREAT RINTARO-SAMA!!
KNOWN FAR AND WIDE!
HE'S SUPER CLEVER!
HUH?
HUH?

H-HOLD IT, WHAT WAS THAT ALL ABOUT!?
TCH... USE-LESS.
CRAP, IT DIDN'T WORK.
WHAT ABOUT IT, YOU JERKS!?
SO WHAT!?
WHO CARES!!?
DA (DASH)

-PITA (PAUSE)
AYANE'S...
...MAS-TER!?

PGYUH!
GOKI (CRACK)
T... TAMAO!!
BUYO (BOUNCE)
PECHI (SMACK)
BEKI (CRICK)
ZURI (SKID)
ARMBAND: DISCIPLINE
!?
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?
YOU VILLAINS.
ZA (ZSH)

THE YELLOW ARMBAND WITH THE SINGLE WORD "DISCIPLINE"!?
UH-OH!
ARMBAND: DISCIPLINE
DA
DA
DA (DASH)
SLITA- (TNUP)
TAMAO, LET'S GO!!
HUH?
WHAT?
WE'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE, RINTARO!
BA (LEAD)
NNGH!
ZA (ZIGH)
WHAT THE—!?

!?
WASN'T SHE... BEHIND US JUST A SECOND AGO!?
GIRO (GLARE)
...YOU CAN ESCAPE US.
!!
DON'T THINK...
JIRI (SCRAPE)
TWINS!?
GOKU (GULP)
THESE TWO ARE THE TWIN DEMONIC DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE MEMBERS ...!?
I DON'T BELIEVE IT..
LABEL: DISCIPLINE
DIS-CIPLIN-ARY COMMIT-TEE
NAN-GOKU-REN HIGH SCHOOL

VICE-CHAIR-MAN
VICE-CHAIR-MAN
WIND TO RULE THE EARTH— RURINA
WIND TO RULE THE PEOPLE— RUMINA
SWORDS: PUNISHMENT
EEEEK!
UH...
...THEY'RE THE FAMOUS SUPER-SADISTIC TWINS.
THEY'RE NO ORDINARY DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE MEMBERS...
PLEASE RINTARO!!
HUH? ARE YOU SERI-OUS!?
ONCE OUR TWIN WINDS HAVE BLOWN YOU DOWN...
...THERE WON'T BE A SPECK OF DUST LEFT TO YOU.
(CHARGE)

C-CURSE YOU...
UH... S-SORRY.
DOOF!
BAKI (WHACK)
SA (PWIP)
Y... YOU'RE... NOT DOING THIS ON PURPOSE, ARE YOU?
NOT AGAIN... SORRY!
NGOAH!
DOGO (WHUMP)
SU (DUCK)
!!
POMLIN (POOMF)
!?
NOW'S OUR CHANCE TO GET AWAY, TAMAO.
NNGHH...
SFX: YORO (STAGGER) YORO

PLEASE BE CAREFUL.
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
MOFUH!?
Y... YES, MA'AM ...
SO SOFT.
YES, MA'AM! OUR APOLOGIES.
BA (LAND)
WHO'S THIS...?
RUMINA-SAN, RURINA-SAN...
...YOU'RE OVERDOING IT.
KI (GLARE)

UH...I'M RINTARO.
OH MY... YOU'RE...
...THE ONE THAT DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR-SAN WAS BEGGING TO BE HER MASTER.
PEKORI (BOW)
ペコリ
PLEASE ALLOW ME TO APOLOGIZE ON THEIR BEHALF.
TO THINK WE RAISED A HAND AGAINST SOMEONE AS FAMOUS AS YOU...
...AND TO YOUR FRIENDS AS WELL...
SHE'S SO DELICATE.
ASUNA, PRESIDENT OF THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE, IS JUST LIKE THE RUMORS DESCRIBED...
SHE'S GOT A GOOD HEAD ON HER SHOULDERS.
SFX: SA (SCOOT) SA
THESE THREE WERE CAUGHT SPYING...
WHAT ON EARTH GOT INTO YOU TWO?
WH...
OH MY. THAT WILL NOT DO.
I'M TERRIBLY SORRY...
...THEY'RE ALWAYS TOO HASTY WITH SUCH THINGS...
DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE PRESIDENT
WIND TO RULE THE HEAVENS— ASUNA

I'M SORRY, BUT...
...YOU'LL HAVE TO BE INTERRO-GATED.
WOULD YOU PLEASE ACCOMPANY US TO THE GYMNASIUM?
I-INTERRO-GATED?
W... WILL IT HURT?
UGH...
THERE'S NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT.
NIKO (BEAM)
I JUST WANT TO TALK TO YOU A LITTLE.
ALL RIGHT, I'LL GO!!
YAAAAAY!
L-LET ME HAVE YOUR ADDRESS!
THEY'RE ENJOYING THIS AN AWFUL LOT...
LET'S GET TALKING!

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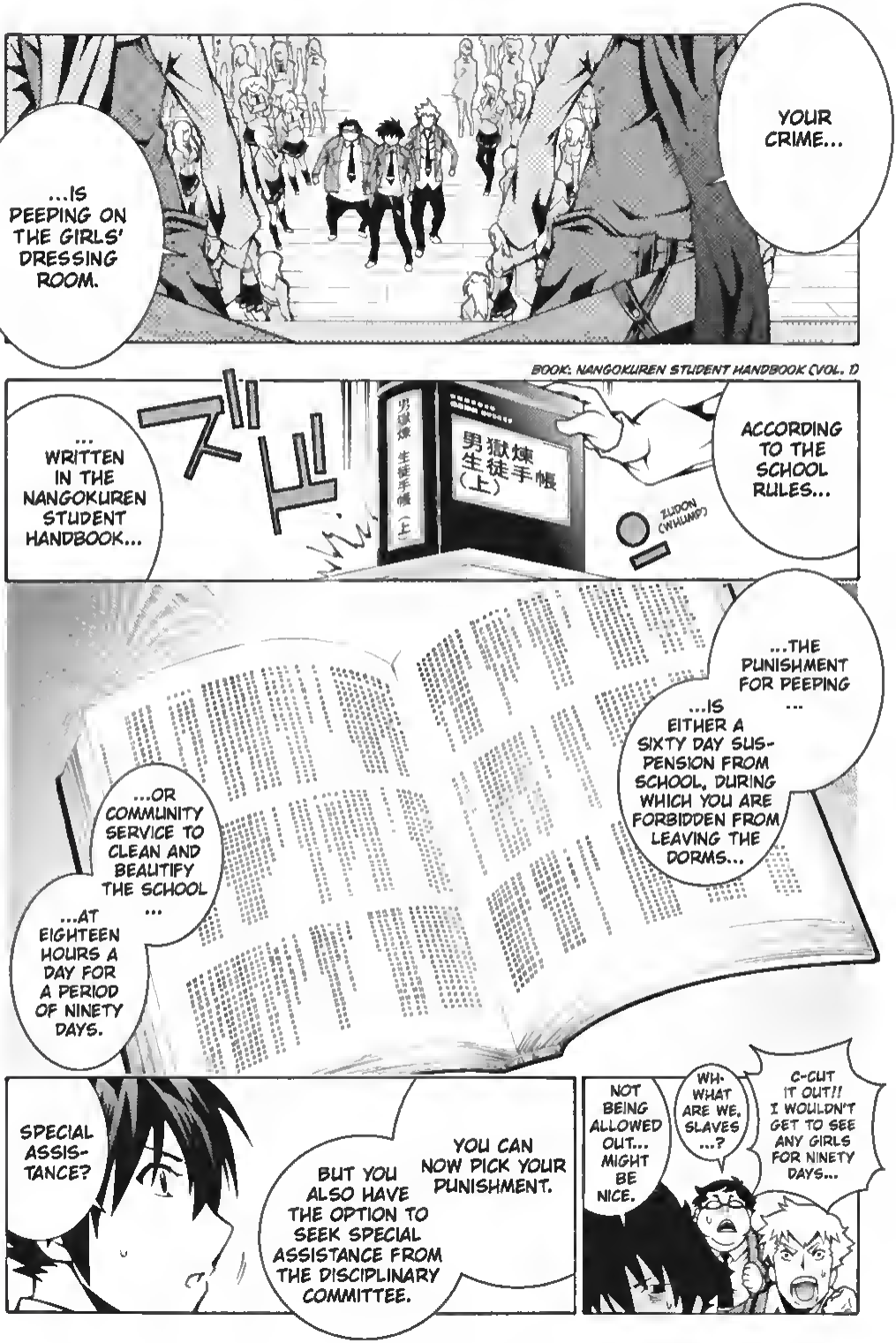
ARMBAND: DISCIPLINE
ARE THEY ALL ON THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE?
LOOKS LIKE IT.
WOW, THERE ARE LOTS OF PEOPLE.
WILL THE FELONS PLEASE COME FORWARD?
ZA (ZSH)
WE WILL NOW CARRY OUT THE INTERROGATION.
THEY'RE GIVING US THE EVIL EYE...
UH...
!?
BA (WHIP)


YOUR CRIME...
...IS PEEPING ON THE GIRLS' DRESSING ROOM.
BOOK: NANGOKUREN STUDENT HANDBOOK (VOL. 1)
ACCORDING TO THE SCHOOL RULES...
ZUDON (WHUMP)
男獄煉生徒手帳(上)
...WRITTEN IN THE NANGOKUREN STUDENT HANDBOOK...
...THE PUNISHMENT FOR PEEPING ...
...IS EITHER A SIXTY DAY SUSPENSION FROM SCHOOL, DURING WHICH YOU ARE FORBIDDEN FROM LEAVING THE DORMS...
...OR COMMUNITY SERVICE TO CLEAN AND BEAUTIFY THE SCHOOL ...
...AT EIGHTEEN HOURS A DAY FOR A PERIOD OF NINETY DAYS.
C-CUT IT OUT!! I WOULDN'T GET TO SEE ANY GIRLS FOR NINETY DAYS...
WH-WHAT ARE WE, SLAVES ...?
NOT BEING ALLOWED OUT... MIGHT BE NICE.
YOU CAN NOW PICK YOUR PUNISHMENT.
BUT YOU ALSO HAVE THE OPTION TO SEEK SPECIAL ASSISTANCE FROM THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE.
SPECIAL ASSISTANCE?

YOU MUST OFFER THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE ...
... 100,000 YEN EACH.
IF YOU PAY US 100,000 YEN...
...YOU WILL BE ACQUITTED.
W-WE CAN'T... PUBLISH THAT.
I-IF I HAD 100,000 YEN...
...I'D -BEEP- AND -BEEP-!!
HUH!? Y-YOU'RE NUTS!
NO WAY WE'VE GOT THAT KIND OF MONEY ON US, YOU -BEEP-!
...ARE AWFULLY COCKY.
SU (SWF)
YOU FELONS...
BEH!!
NWAH!?
GUN (JUNK)
WE'RE OUTTA HERE!!
INTERROGATION, MY ASS. THEY'RE JUST AFTER MONEY

...YOU'LL AGREE TO IT, WON'T YOU?
G-GEEH...
GUH... GIH...
GRSHH (CREAK)
THE 100,000 YEN FOR SPECIAL ASSIS-TANCE...
WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
H-HANG ON A SECOND...
SEA CUCUM-BERS!
YOU MON-STERS!
YEAH! THAT'S RIGHT!
SEA SLUGS!
GUH!
GET DOWN ON YOUR KNEES!
YOU OUGHT TO BE THANK-ING US!
PAY UP!
YOU GUYS DISRUPTED THE PUBLIC MORALS!
NOW!
EEK!
PAY UP!
NWAH!
BUN (FLING)

DOGA (BASH)
KUH!
GA
BLEEEEH!
KOFF!
KOFF!
Y-YOU GUYS OKAY!?
...IS JUST PLAIN CRUEL.
...BUT THIS...
SURE, WE WERE PEEPING...
...YOUR BREATH.
DON'T WASTE ...
BA (LUNGE)

BYUBO (HOP)
BA (FWIP)
TAN (TAK)
!!
GYUN (ZIP)

THAT'S SOME IMPRESSIVE SYNCHRONI-ZATION...
A SIMULTA-NEOUS ATTACK FROM BOTH SIDES.
BA
...OUR TWIN WINDS.
BO (WHOOSH)
THERE'S NO STOPPING ...
IN OTHER WORDS, A STORM.
KEEP IT UNDIS-TURBED.
CLEAR MY MIND.
THE ONLY THING THAT CAN BEAT A WIND IS AN EVEN STRONGER WIND.
...THE BLUE MOON, REFLECTED ON A LAKE
GA (CLAMP)
THE SCHOOL OF...

KUH... HAH...
BIRI (RIP)
BARI (TEAR)
BARI
WHAT THE!?
GUHAH!
DOKA (WHAM)
UGHH!
ELE-GANT WINGED HEAV-ENLY GALE
WAY OF THE SPAR-ROW'S WING—
GOKI (CRACK)

FUOOOOOO (WOOOO)
.....
.....
.....
OUR WIND...
...WAS SURPASSED?
HNGH!
CLEAR MY MIND.
NUGI (STRIP)
KEEP IT UNDISTURBED
HIRA (FLAP)
"
PASA (SWAP)
NO MATTER HOW STRONG THE WIND BLOWS...

ZA (ZSH)
...WILL NOT FAL-TER—!!
...MY MOR-ALS...!!
SU (STEP)
OH MY...
!!
HUH?
KYUN (SWOON)

RUMINA-SAN, RURINA-SAN...
...WHAT HAVE YOU DONE?
WHAT ON EARTH...?
EEEK! IT'S ASUNA-SAMA!
ASUNA-SAMA-AAA!
HUH...? SO THIS WAS UNAUTHO-RIZED?
BA
BA (FWIP)
DON'T TELL ME...
...YOU WERE ASKING FOR MONEY AGAIN?
O-OUR APOLO-GIES!!
I'M SO SORRY...
YOU SAID WE WERE ONLY GOING TO TALK. YOU SAID IT WOULDN'T HURT...
THAT'S RIGHT. WE WERE.
THEY TOLD US TO PAY THEM 100,000!
ARE YOU HURT?
YOU TWO HAVE BEEN THROUGH SO MUCH, HAVEN'T YOU?
SU (SSK)

PLEASE ...
...FORGIVE ME.
SFX RERO (ROLL) RERO, SURI (NUZZLE) SURI
OH, I DO!
A SMILE LOOKS BEST ON YOUR FACE.
YOU'RE TOO KIND.
I'M GLAD.
EVERYONE, STAY IN FRONT OF THE STAGE...
YES, MA'AM!
!!
ニヤ
NYA (SMILE)
NOW, THEN ...
...LET'S BEGIN.
KA (CLICK)
BA

OKAY, EVERY-ONE! ♪
LET'S GO! ♪
PAAAAAN (BAPUUUUUM)
うおおおおおお
WHOO-HOOOOO!
WH-WHAT IN THE...?
WOOT! YEAH!
TAKE IT OFF!

A-SU-NA!
A-SU-NA!
A-SU-NA!
WH-WHAT THE?
DRAGON 4 FLASH SPRINT
...DON'T YOU THINK EVERYONE'S ACTING A LITTLE WEIRD?
KOSUKE-KUN, TAMAO-KUN...
KURU (TURN)
GAKKUN
GAKKUN (REEL)
E-EVERYONE'S GOING WILD FOR HER...
IT'S ASUNA ON-STAGE!
KA (FLASH)
HUH? OR AM I THE ONLY STRANGE ONE...?
COME ON, YEAH!
TAKE OFF EVEN MORE! WOOT!
YEAH!!
YEAH, THAT'S THE STUFF!

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YAAA!
YAAA!
キャー
YIPPEEE!
SHE'S WONDERFUL.
CLEAR MY MIND.
YAAA!
KEEP IT UNDISTURBED.
ASUNA-SAMA WOOBBLARBALURG!

COME UP TO THE PLATFORM, ONE AT A TIME.
MOVING ON, WE WILL NOW HOLD THE EXHIBITION AND SALE.
NOW WHAT?
E-EXHIBI-TION AND SALE?
DOSSA (WHUMP)
YOUR TOTAL WILL BE 86,000 YEN.
86,000 !?
...I WORK PART-TIME, TWELVE SHIFTS A WEEK.
FOR YOU, ASUNA-SAMA...
EH HEH HEH.
THANK YOU, AS ALWAYS.

MIKYU!
YOU DO THAT FOR ME...?
I'VE GOT TO BE CAREFUL OR I MIGHT FALL FOR YOU.
HAGU (HUG)
YOUR TOTAL IS 67,000 YEN.
NEXT.
I'M GOING TO WORK SIXTEEN SHIFTS A WEEK NOW!
YIPEE!
THEY'RE THROWING SOME PRETTY BIG NUMBERS AROUND...
TAMAO, HOW MUCH YOU GOT?
I'VE GOT THREE HUNDRED YEN.
TWO HUNDRED YEN...
MAKE IT SNAPPY!
HELP US OUT A LITTLE.
...
RINTARO, HOW ABOUT YOU?
NEXT!

I USUALLY CARRY AROUND TWO MILLION IN MY WALLET, BUT...
I FORGOT TO BRING MY MONEY.
SORRY, BUT WE CAN ONLY SPLIT THIS ONE PHOTO BETWEEN THE BOTH OF US.
THAT'S ALL RIGHT.
IT'S THE THOUGHT THAT COUNTS.
SMOOCH
HAAH! HAAH!
WHOAA!
WHAT IS IT?
SU CROW!
RUMINA-SAMA.
!!
PSST. PSST.
THIS IS MINE!
I PAID 100 YEN MORE THAN YOU.
I KNOW! JUST LET ME LICK IT!
UH, I...
I DON'T HAVE ANY MONEY
NEXT.

ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA (ZSH)
THE EXHIBITION AND SALE IS NOW OVER.
EVERYONE, DISPERSE AT ONCE!!
GARA (RATTLE)
HUH?
THEY'RE ALL GONE...
SHIIIN (SILENCE)
TH-THAT WAS FAST...
MASTER, WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
OH...
UH...
N-NOTHING. THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE CAUGHT ME.
ZA
I'M TOO LATE ...
I MISSED THEM AT THE SCENE OF THE CRIME.

HAVE YOU FALLEN FOR ASUNA?
A-ARE YOU ALL RIGHT!?
DID THEY TAKE YOUR MONEY?
Y-YOU'VE GOT TO LEARN THE CONCEPT OF PERSONAL SPACE...
MASTER...
.....
AND WHERE'S ASUNA-SAMA?
KYORO
WHERE'D EVERYBODY GO?
KYORO (LOOK)
I'M FINE, BUT THOSE TWO...
I KNOW.
THE TRUTH IS...
...THE PRESIDENT OF THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE, ASUNA...
HUH?
HEY, RINTARO...
NO, I'M BEING SERIOUS HERE—
YEAH, UP TO HER EYEBALLS IN TITTIES!
HUH? UP TO SOMETHING?
TA (TMP)
TA
TA
...THAT PRESIDENT'S UP TO SOMETHING.
KOSUKE-KUN, TAMAO-KUN...

ASUNA-SAMA IS MINE!!
...YOU JUST WANT TO HAVE ASUNA-SAMA ALL TO YOURSELF.

NO, I TOUCHED HER!
NO, SHE'S MINE!
NO, I DID!!
N-NO, IT'S NOT LIKE THAT. WHY...?

MAS-TER...
.....
W-WAIT!
I'VE GOT TO FIND ME A JOB!!
I'M GOING OUT TO EARN ME SOME CASH. SEE YA.
TSUKA
TSUKA (STOMP)

S-SURE.
THANKS!
WE'RE FRIENDS.

WHERE CAN I GO TO TALK TO THE PRESIDENT?
UH...
PROBABLY IN THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE ROOM...
.....
MASTER, DON'T FEEL BAD...
I'M GOING TO SEE HER...
...AND SETTLE THIS MATTER.
THEN... I'LL SHOW YOU THE WAY.
OKAY ...
THANKS.
!!
FIRST CLOSE
THEY'RE GOING TO THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE ROOM.
NYU (POKE)
I WON'T LET HIM BEAT ME.

!!
SIGN: DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE
TA TA TA (TMP)
RIGHT.
GOOD, THERE SHE IS.
SU (SSK)
風紀会
GARA (RATTLE)
MISS PRESIDENT, I'D LIKE TO HAVE A WORD—
... WITH ...
HUH?
SHIIIN (SILENCE)
SU
.....
THAT'S STRANGE...
I COULD'VE SWORN I SAW HER COME IN HERE.

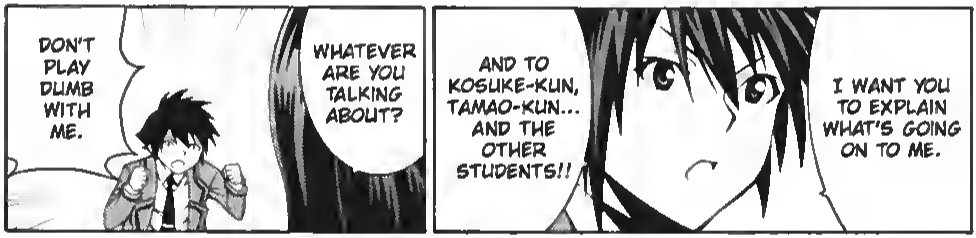
KHHN (TRING)
CLEAR MY MIND.
KEEP IT UNDISTURBED.
CONCENTRATE ALL OF MY FIVE SENSES ON MY HEARING.
WAY OF THE LEAPING RABBIT
SUPER HEARING
KA (FLASH)
.....
LET'S GO.
R-RIGHT.
A DOOR!?
GACHA (CLATCH)
WE'RE GOING TOO.
MUHOHI

YES, EVERYTHING IS GOING SMOOTHLY—
I'M INCREASING MY INFLUENCE AND GROWING OUR CAPITAL.
...YOUR BREATH.
THE THREE OF US COMBINED...
...HAVE THE ENTIRE STUDENT BODY KNEELING DOWN BEFORE US.
PLEASE FORGIVE ME.
DON'T WASTE ...
RUMINA-SAN AND RURINA-SAN DEAL THEIR SWIFT AND BRUTAL PUNISHMENT...
...AND THEN I COME IN AND GENTLY OFFER THEM A HAND.
I'M SURE THAT SOONER OR LATER ...
...I'LL GET HIM TO KNEEL BEFORE ME AS WELL.
ALSO...
I'VE MADE CONTACT WITH THE MAN CALLED THE DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR'S MASTER.

BIKUN (JOLT)
HIGUH!
I see. Well done.
PI (BEEP)
KYUN
WELL, I'LL BE IN TOUCH LATER...
KYUN
...M-MAKES ME...SO HAPPY...
KYUN (SWOON)
YOUR... COMPLI-MENT...
KYUN
...TO FALL TO HIS KNEES.
...NEXT, WE MUST GET RIN-TARO, THE DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR'S MASTER ...
RUMINA-SAN, RURINA-SAN...
NI (SNEER)
...THAN ANY OTHER STUDENT.
THAT MAN IS A DOZEN TIMES MORE VALUABLE ...

!?
THAT'S NOT GOING TO HAPPEN.
SU (SSK)

NOTHING LESS FROM THE MASTER OF THE DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR.
OH MY... HOW DID YOU FIND THIS PLACE...?


DON'T PLAY DUMB WITH ME.
WHATEVER ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
AND TO KOSUKE-KUN, TAMAO-KUN... AND THE OTHER STUDENTS!!
I WANT YOU TO EXPLAIN WHAT'S GOING ON TO ME.

TAJI (STAGGER)
UH...
URU (TEARY)
URU
YOU'RE... SCARING ME.
YOU NEEDN'T GET SO ANGRY...

ASUNA...
...THAT'S QUITE ENOUGH OF THAT.
ZA (ZSH)
GIRI (GRIT)
KI (GLARE)
SU
GOKU (GULP)
THE MOOD'S WEIRD IN HERE...
.....

THANKS TO YOU SHOWING UP, I—!!
DRAGON OF FLASH-ING STAR!!
BIKUUUN (JUMP)
.....
IT OUGHT TO BE MINE!
THE DRAGON NAME DOESN'T SUIT YOU.
JARIIII (JANGLE)
BO (TOCK)

BA
RU-MINA.
RU-RINA.
YES, MA'AM!!
BA (FWIP)
THE TRINITY...
BUT I CAN'T EVEN LOOK ANY OF THEM IN THE EYE!!
AND THREE VS ONE!?
BA (SCOOT)
IT'S A CLEAVAGE ATTACK.
C... CLEAV-AGE!!
THREE FORCES OF THE WIND FANGS

PA (BAN)
PAN
KO (BASHI)
KO
DO
DO (WHUD)
DO
HUH?
FU (FZZT)
GYA
GYA (TING)
DOGOOO (BOOOM)

ニヤ
NIYA (SMIRK)
!?
SHUUUUU (WHSSSS)
!!
ZA (ZSH)
IF YOU WANT THE TITLE OF DRAGON...
...YOU'D BETTER HAVE WHAT IT TAKES.

BEING A DRAGON ...
...ISN'T SOMETHING YOU DO FOR YOURSELF.
キュッ
GYU (CLUTCH)
IT'S FOR THOSE WHO BELIEVE IN YOU.
EACH AND EVERY ONE OF THEIR THOUGHTS...
...BECOME SCALES THAT EVENTUALLY GIVE YOU FORM.
TO INHERIT THE TITLE OF A DRAGON ...
...IS TO SHOULDER ...
...ALL THE THOUGHTS AND FEELINGS OF YOUR FRIENDS.

CAN YOU...
ZA (ZSH)
GYUUUUUU (CLEEEEENCH)
BIKI (PLIK)
MEKIKI
MEKI (CRICK)
ZUGYAGYA (CRSSSH)
HYU (WHOOSH)
...HANDLE THAT?

FLASH OF THE TRUE DRAGON'S FIST OF LIGHT
GOGA (BAM)

FUOOOOO (WOOOO)
SHE'S STRONG...
SO THIS IS...
KURU (TURN)
...THE POWER OF THE...
...DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR!!!
BISHI (BSSH?)

YOU'RE ONLY A FIRST-YEAR... AYANE...HIC! BUT YOU GET TO HAVE A DRAGON NAME...
ALL I WANTED... WAS TO...HIC! ...HAVE PEOPLE LIKE ME...
SNIFFLE!
SOB!
KOOON (SHOCK)
YOU'RE ALREADY WICKED-STRONG. DO YOU REALLY NEED TO BE MY STUDENT EVEN?
I...I'M SORRY.
R-RIGHT, THANKS.
WE'LL GET ASUNA TO EXPLAIN EVERYTHING.
MASTER, DON'T WORRY.

GABA (HOP)
!?
...NOT EVEN AYANE WILL BE ABLE TO TOUCH ME!!
IF I TAKE YOU HOSTAGE ...
I'M GONNA GET KNOCKED OUT BY KNOCKERS!?
OH NO... I CAN'T DODGE THIS!!

PIKUN (TWITCH)
!?
GASHII (GRAB)
MUNIYUU (SQUISH)
POOMF
ZUDOOOOO (CRAAAASH)
!!
KO-SUKE-KUN!!
TAMAO-KUN!!
YOU OKAY, RINTARO?
WE MADE IT IN TIME.
KYUUU (SQUINCH)
GAKU (SLUMP)

UH-HUH.
THANKS, YOU GUYS!!
I R-REALLY APPRE-CIATE IT.
DON'T FORGET YOU OWE US.
SAWA (TOUCH)
SAWA
SUIRI
SUIRI (RUB)
SAWA
SUIRI
SUIRI
SUIRI
I NEVER KNEW THIS GIRL WAS SO CRAZY...
SORRY WE EVER DOUBTED YOU, RINTARO.
AND ALL THE MONEY AND FUNDS THEY'D COLLECTED WERE RETURNED.
THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE WAS DISBANDED AFTER THAT.
ARMBAND: DISCIPLINE
.....
JIIII (STARE)
AND RINTARO GAINED A FAN OF HIS OWN.
THERE WERE STILL SOME FANS OF ASUNA WHO REMAINED.
ASUNA-SAMA!
PLEASE BRING BACK THE COMMIT-TEE!

RIN-TA-RO!
THE YOUNGEST BROTH-ER—
TA-MAO.
THE MIDDLE BROTH-ER—
KO-SUKE!
THE ELDEST BROTH-ER—
...AND SWEAR TO NAN-GOKU-REN!!
WE THREE BLOOD BROTHERS HEREBY FORM A PACT...
OIL STEW
LARD FLAVOR
Jyowa Tea

AN OATH...
EVEN IF WE WERE BORN ON DIFFERENT DAYS...
...WE'LL GRADUATE FROM OUR VIRGINITY ON THE SAME DAY AND AT THE SAME TIME!!
...OF VIRGINITY!!
TAMAO...IF YOU PLAY YOUR CARDS RIGHT, YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO GET A TASTE OF AYANE
GUH PUH PUH.
L-LET'S GO...
FOOD!
MAS-TER!
BATH!
WHAT ABOUT MY TRAIN-ING!!?
TA (TMP)
TA
TA

...
DRAGON OF STORMING JADE-SAMA...
...ASUNA HAS BEEN DEFEATED.
...AND THE MAN CALLED THE DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR'S MASTER...
WE UNDER-ESTIMATED... THE DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR'S POWER...
I ALREADY KNEW SHE WOULD BE DEFEATED.
DELETE
Disciplinary Committee President, Asuna

THE THIRD DRAGON
I NEVER EXPECTED ANYTHING FROM HER FROM THE START.
DRAGON OF STORMING JADE— RINO
THEN, WHAT IS YOUR STRATEGY FOR TAKING ON...
...THE DRAGON OF GLEAMING MIGHT AND THE DRAGON OF FLASHING STAR?
THAT'S BECAUSE SHE NEVER HAD ANY...
... STRENGTH TO BEGIN WITH.
THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN TAKE ON A DRAGON AS AN EQUAL IS ANOTHER DRAGON.
THAT, OR ONE WHO POSSESSES THE STRENGTH OF A DRAGON ...
...BUT IS COMPLETELY DIFFERENT FROM ONE.

IN OTHER WORDS ...
...A TIGER.
YES.
SHE'S COMING BACK...?
TIGER!?
YOU MEAN THE ONE THAT THEY CALL THE STRONGEST IN ALL OF NAN-GOKUREN...?
THE HEAVENLY RULING TIGER...
...MELL.
TO BE CONTINUED

I CAN'T HELP LOLING AT THE OVER-THE-TOP ANTICS OF THESE UNIQUE CHARACTERS AND THE GREAT SENSE OF HUMOR! IT'S ALL GOOD FEELINGS WHEN IT COMES TO THIS BEAUTIFULLY CRAFTED, INTENSE BATTLE MANGA!
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TRANSLATION NOTES

COMMON HONORIFICS

no *honorific*: Indicates familiarity or closeness; if used without permission or reason, addressing someone in this manner would constitute an insult.

-san: The Japanese equivalent of Mr./Mrs./Miss. If a situation calls for politeness, this is the fail-safe honorific.

-sama: Conveys great respect; may also indicate that the social status of the speaker is lower than that of the addressee.

-kun: Used most often when referring to boys, this indicates affection or familiarity. Occasionally used by older men among their peers, but it may also be used by anyone referring to a person of lower standing.

-chan: An affectionate honorific indicating familiarity used mostly in reference to girls; also used in reference to cute persons or animals of either gender.

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***Nangokuren* High School**: The kanji characters that make up the name *"Nangokuren"* translate loosely into "Men's Purgatory," hence Rintaro's mistake that this is an all-boys' high school.

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Shizuka-chan: Refers to the Shizuka-chan from the popular Japanese manga and anime *Doraemon*, who is known for taking several baths per day.

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Asylum Knowledge Brigade: Called *"Anzokunochi Kenkyu Bu"* (Century Research Club) in the original, the initials "A.K.B.," in addition to their forty-eight scouted locations, seems to be a pun on AKB48—a popular all-girls Japanese idol group named for its original forty-eight members and the location of their theater in Akihabara.

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Goemon Ishikawa: A legendary Japanese outlaw with great ninja skills and a tendency to be mischievous. Peeking in on a girls' changing room is just the kind of thing he might be caught doing.

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